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HAVE NO FEAR . . .

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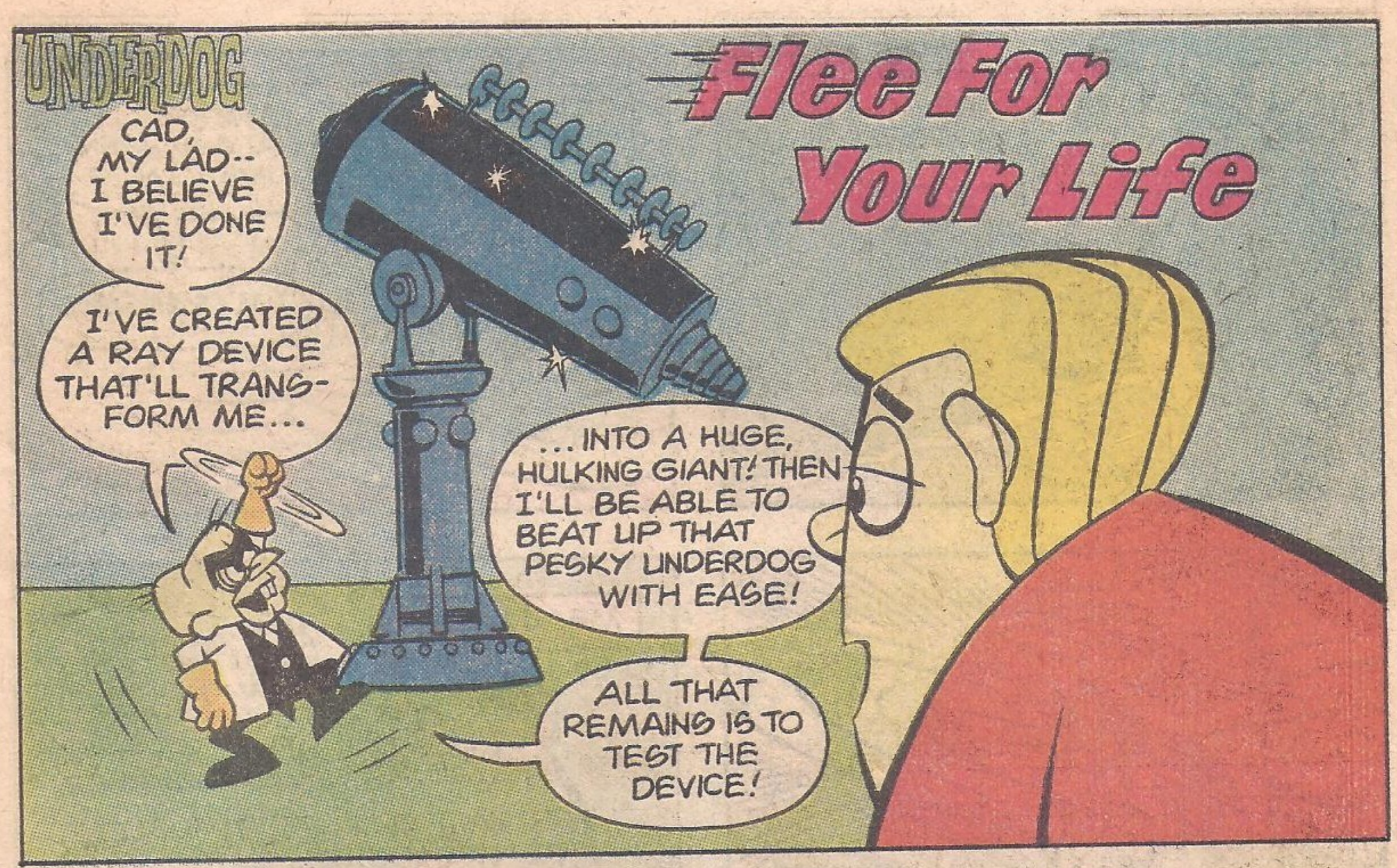

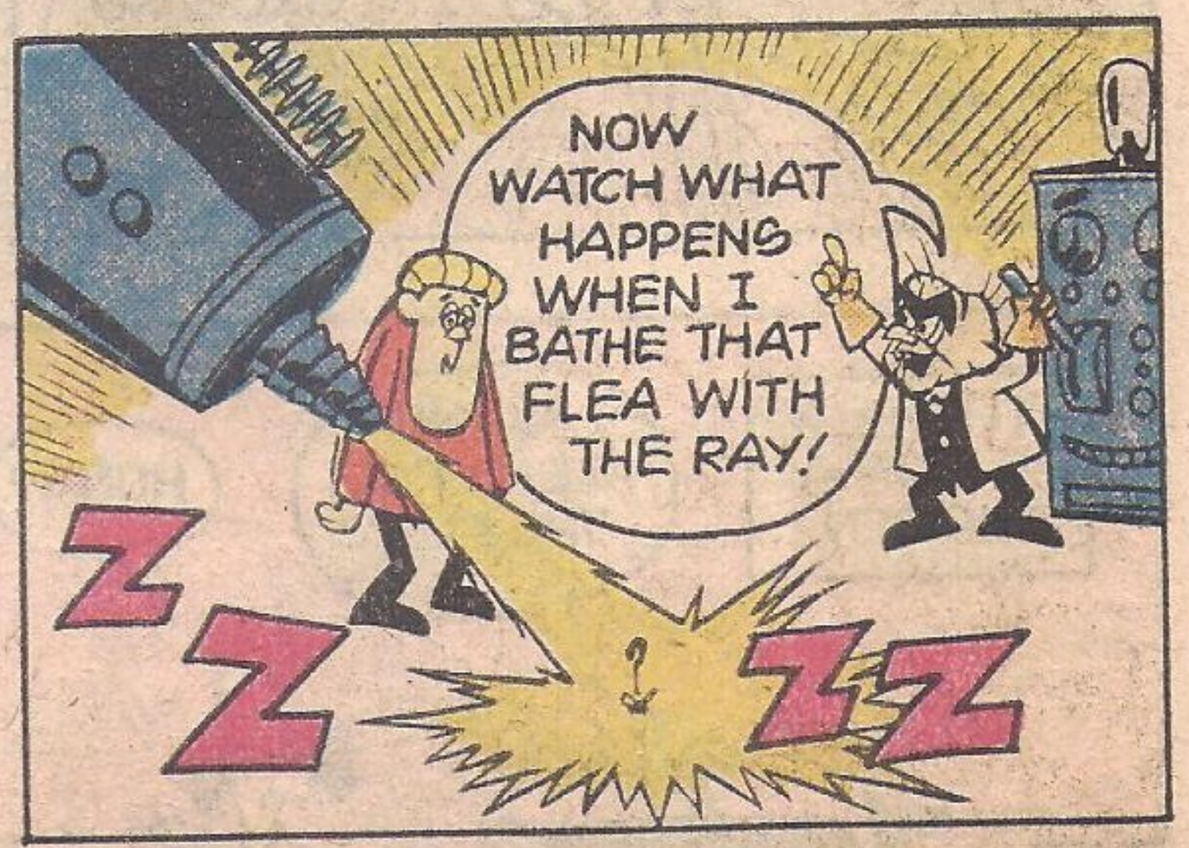

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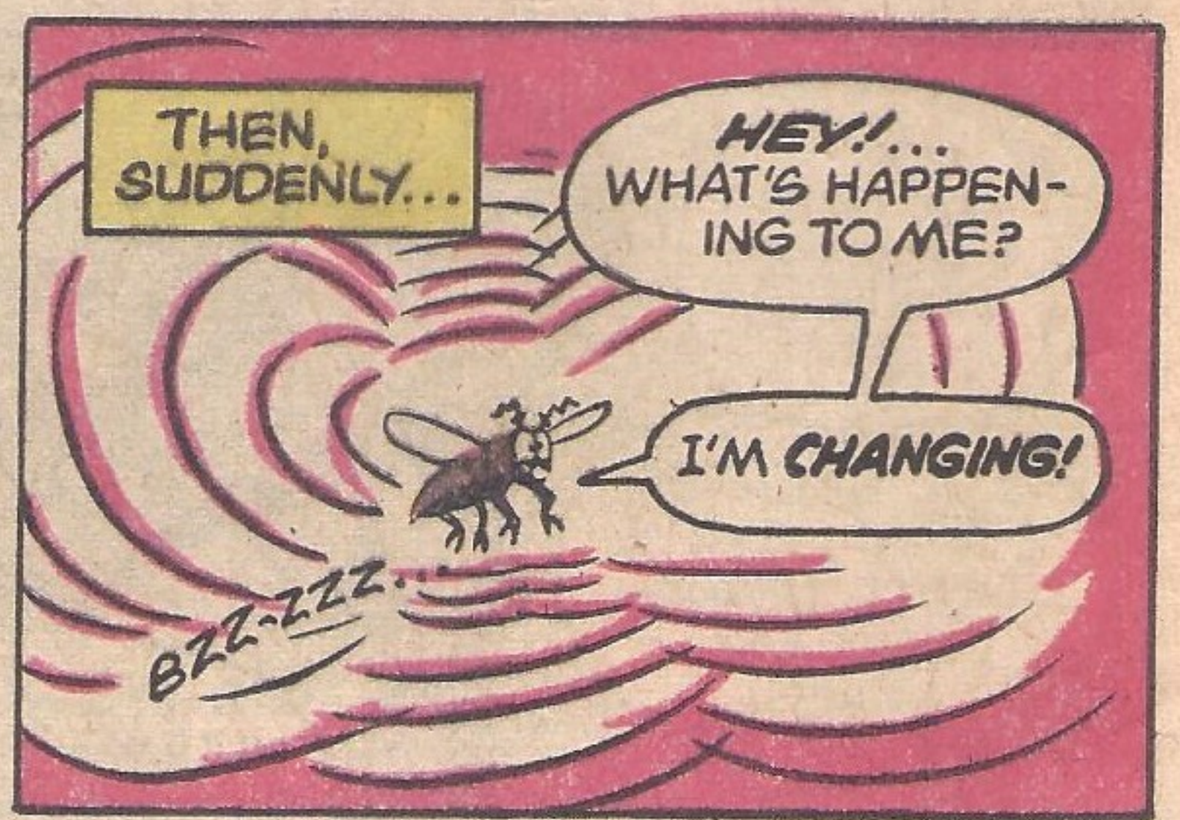
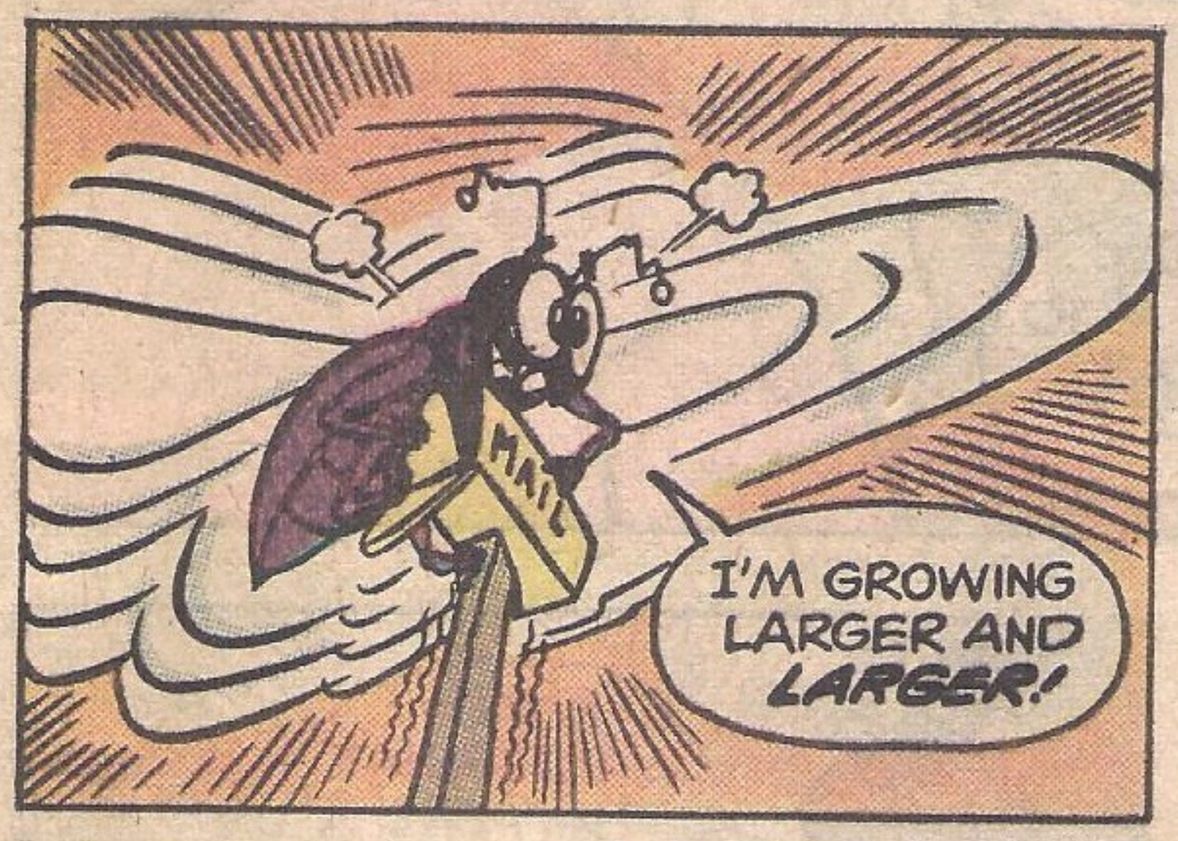
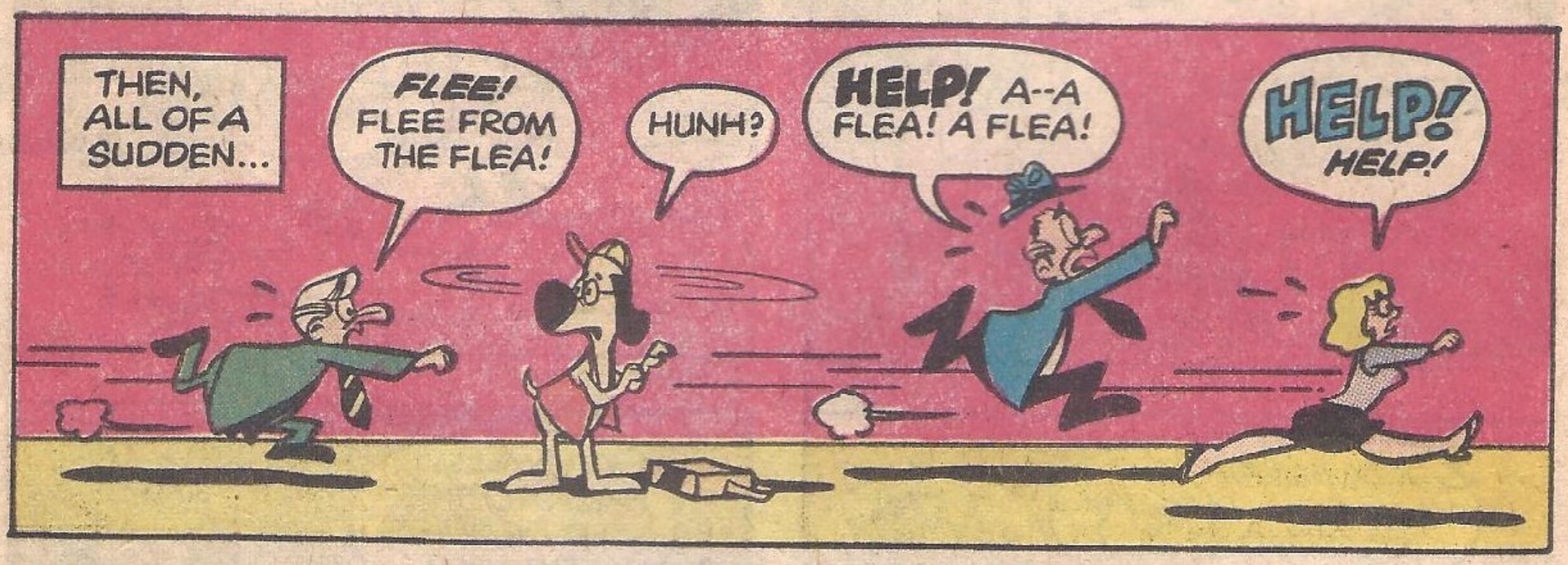
MADE IT! I'M FREE!
BZZ...ZZ...

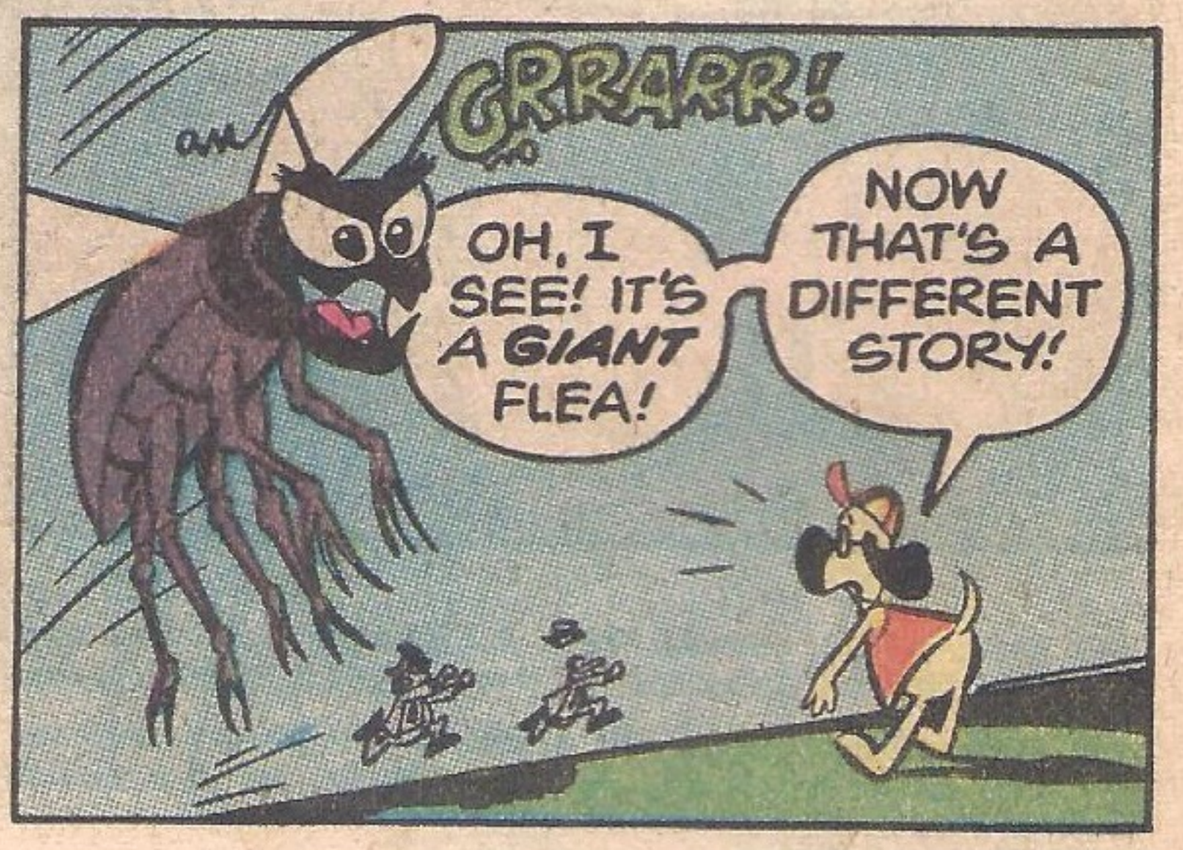

THEN, SUDDENLY...
HEY!... WHAT'S HAPPENING TO ME?
I'M CHANGING!
BZZ-ZZZ...


MAIL
I'M GROWING LARGER AND LARGER!

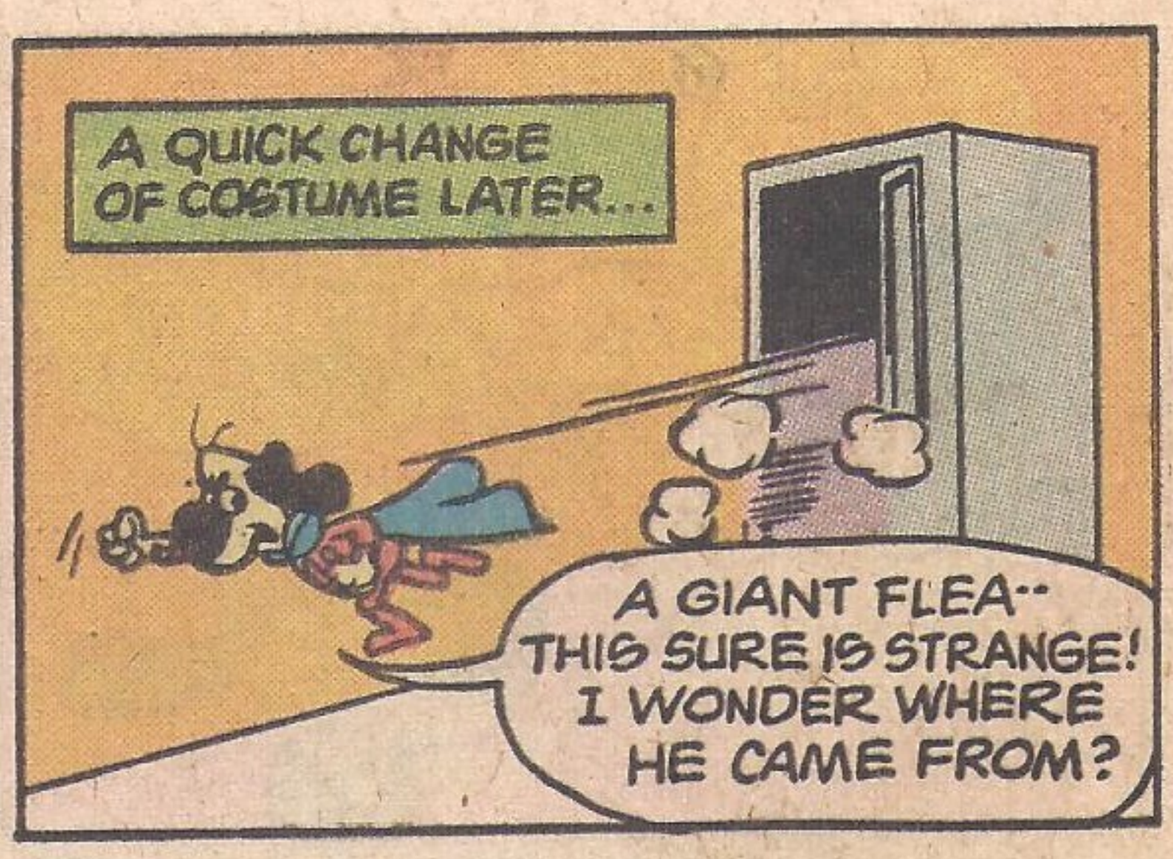
MEANWHILE...
TEE-DUM, TEE-DOO...
ANOTHER DAY, ANOTHER SHOE...
SHINE

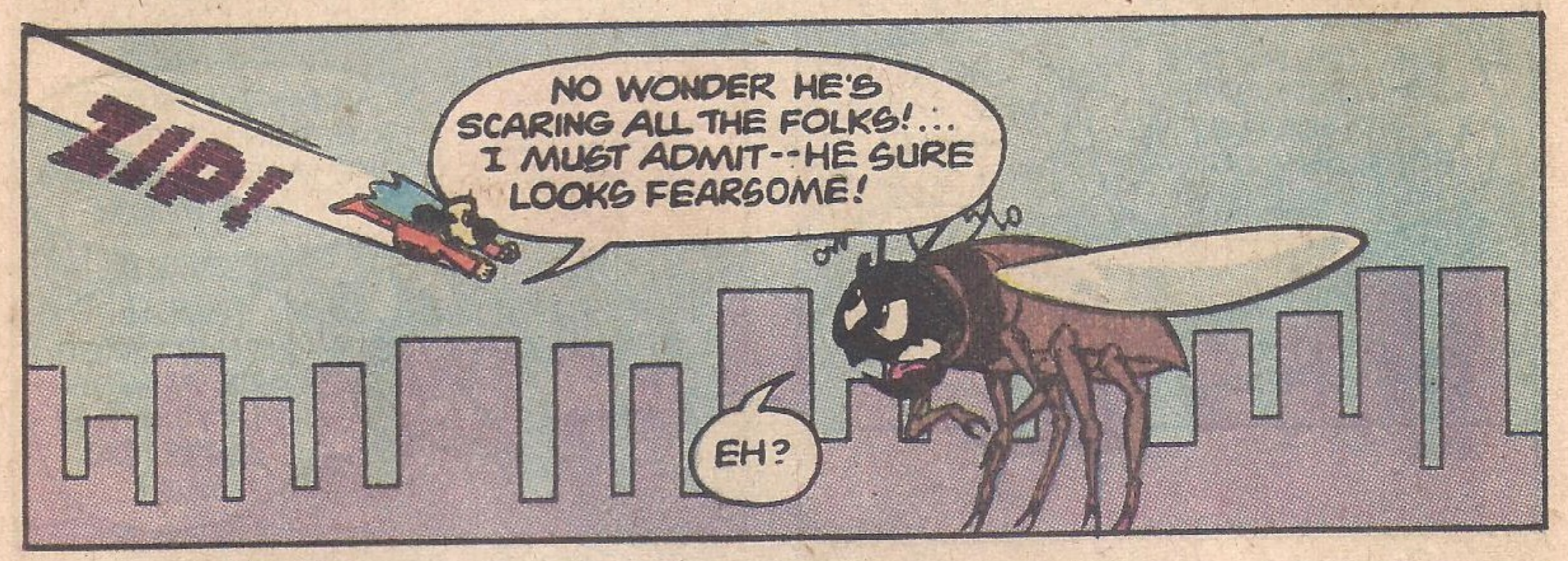

THEN, ALL OF A SUDDEN...
FLEE! FLEE FROM THE FLEA!
HUNH?
HELP! A--A FLEA! A FLEA!
HELP! HELP!

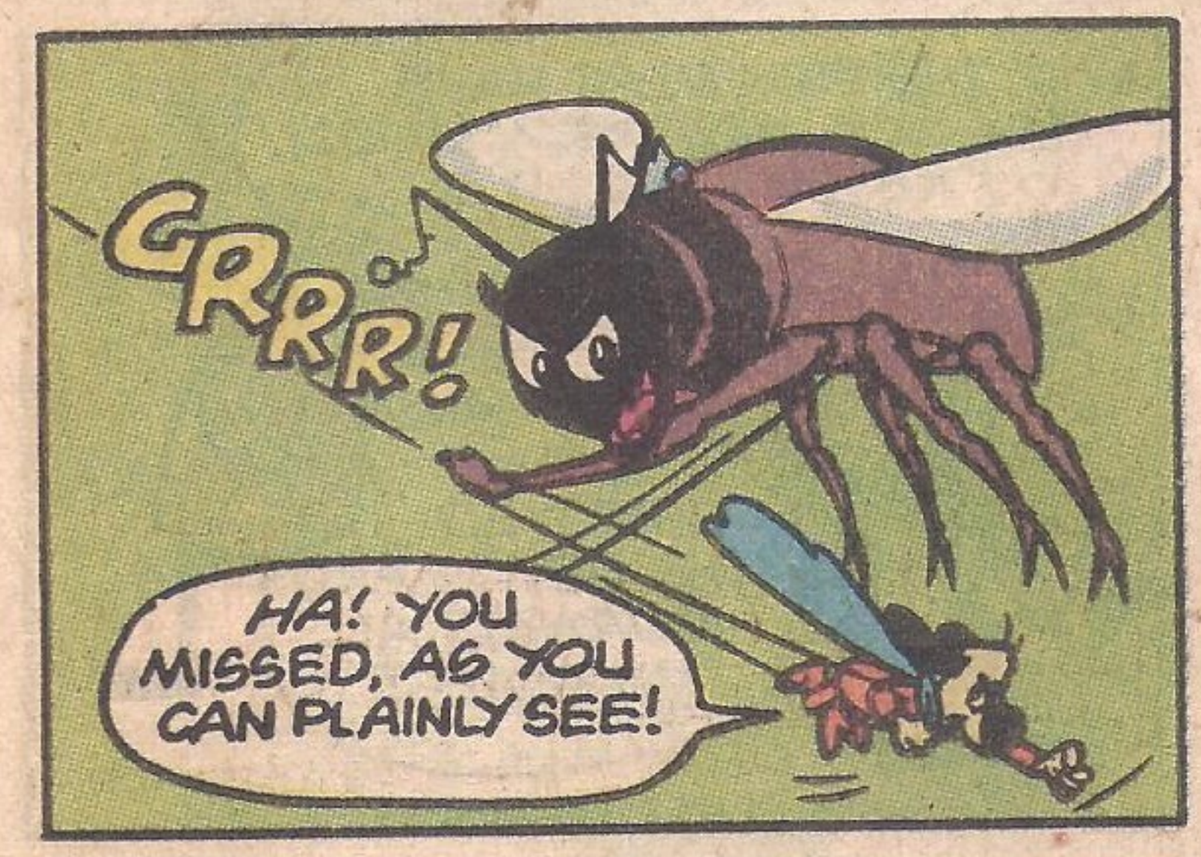
NOW, WHY SHOULD THOSE PEOPLE BE SO FRIGHTENED BY A FLEA?
EVEN WHEN I HAD THEM, THEY HARDLY FRIGHTENED ME!

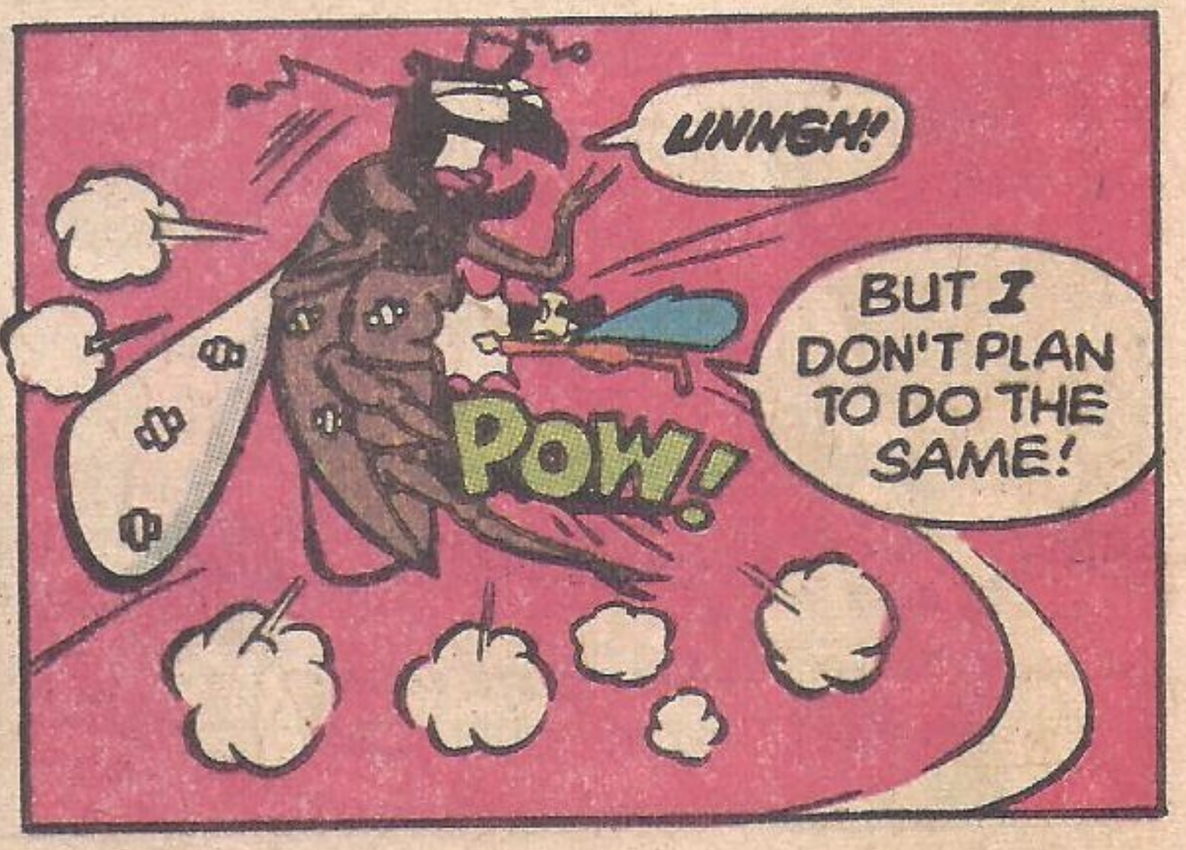

GRRARR!
OH, I SEE! IT'S A GIANT FLEA!
NOW THAT'S A DIFFERENT STORY!

AND, FOR FRIGHTENING ALL THOSE GOOD PEOPLE, THIS FELLA SOON WILL BE SORRY!


A QUICK CHANGE OF COSTUME LATER...
A GIANT FLEA-- THIS SURE IS STRANGE! I WONDER WHERE HE CAME FROM?


ZIP!
NO WONDER HE'S SCARING ALL THE FOLKS!... I MUST ADMIT--HE SURE LOOKS FEARSOME!
EH?


GRRR!
HA! YOU MISSED, AS YOU CAN PLAINLY SEE!

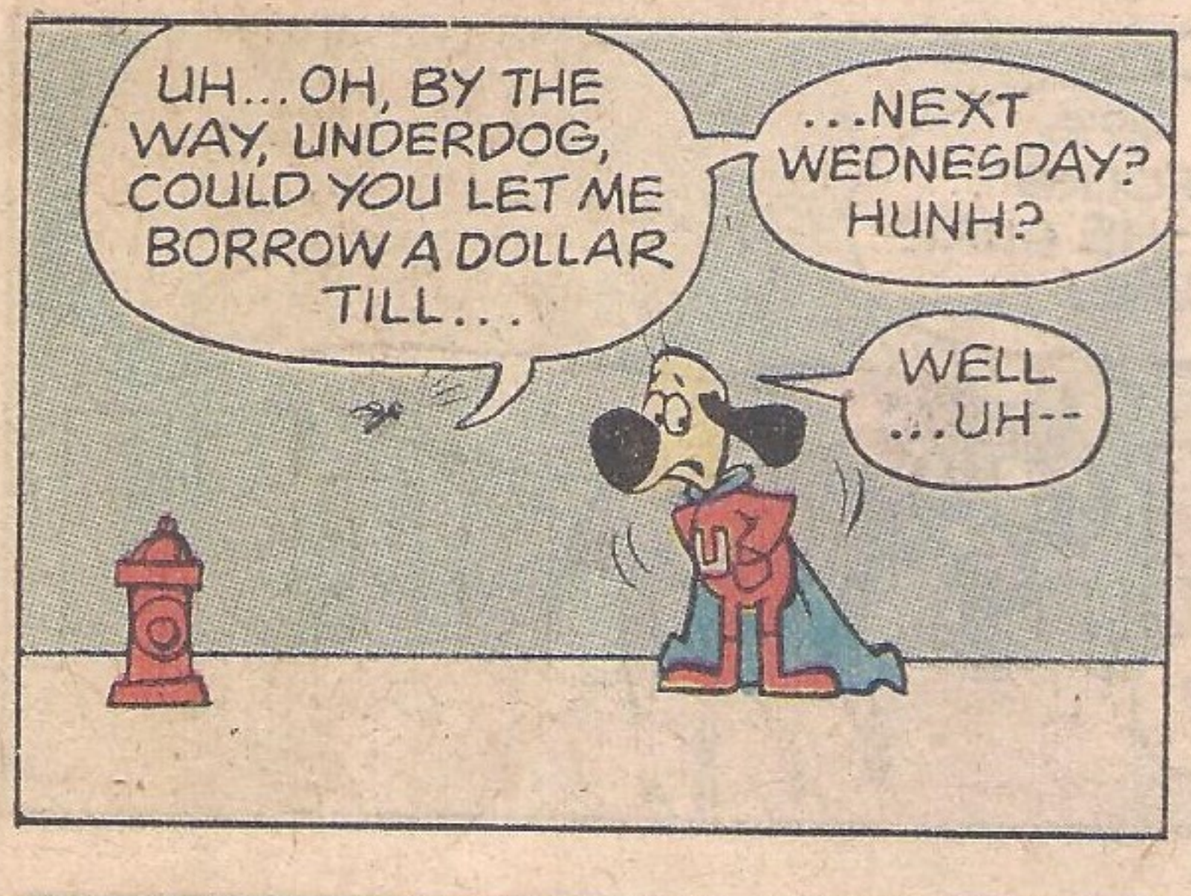

UNNGH!
POW!
BUT I DON'T PLAN TO DO THE SAME!

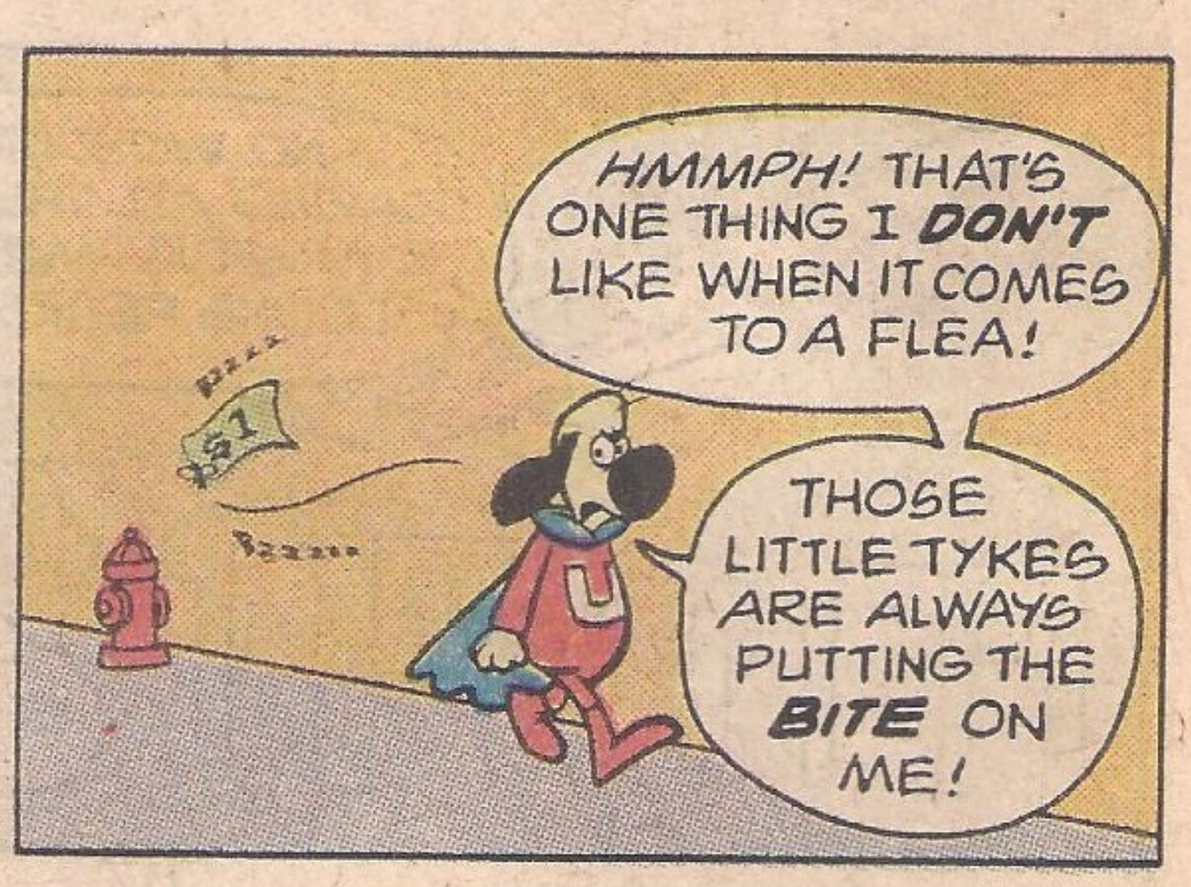
YOU'RE ABOUT TO GET BEAT UP, YOU LOATHSOME FLEA!
BAM!
GNNG!
AND ACCORDING TO ME, THAT'S HARDLY A SHAME!

NO! WAIT! I'VE HAD ENOUGH! DON'T HIT ME AGAIN! PLEASE! I--
WHA--? I'M CHANG-ING AGAIN!
?

I'M SHRINKING --BECOMING MY OLD SIZE AGAIN!
WOW! THE EFFECTS OF THAT RAY SURE DIDN'T LAST VERY LONG!

LISTEN, UNDERDOG--I'M SORRY!
BZZ-ZZ...
WELL, STOPPING YOU FROM SCARING FOLKS WASN'T EXACTLY FUN! BUT NOW EVERYTHING'S BACK TO NORMAL, SO I SUPPOSE THERE WAS NO HARM DONE!


UH...OH, BY THE WAY, UNDERDOG, COULD YOU LET ME BORROW A DOLLAR TILL...
...NEXT WEDNESDAY? HUNH?
WELL ...UH--


HMMPH! THAT'S ONE THING I DON'T LIKE WHEN IT COMES TO A FLEA!
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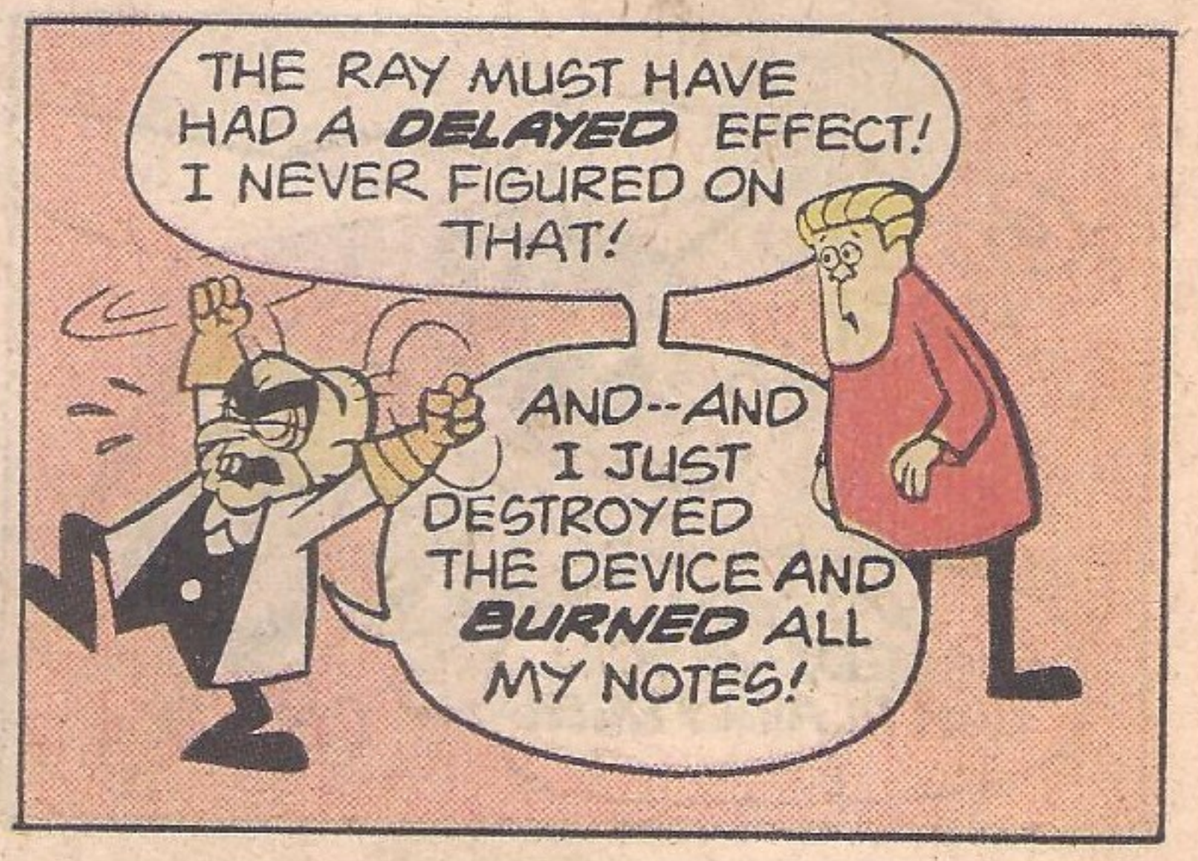
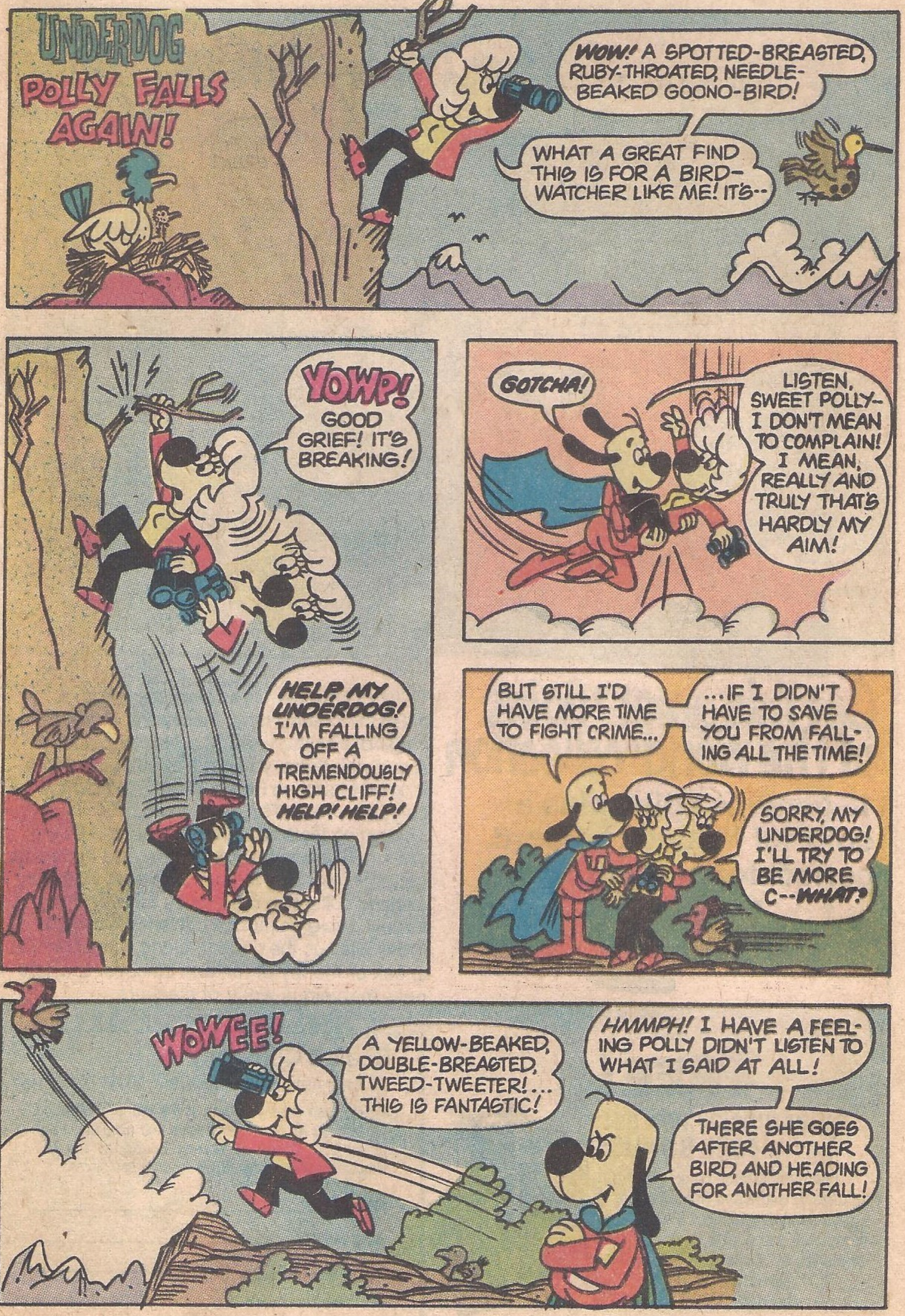
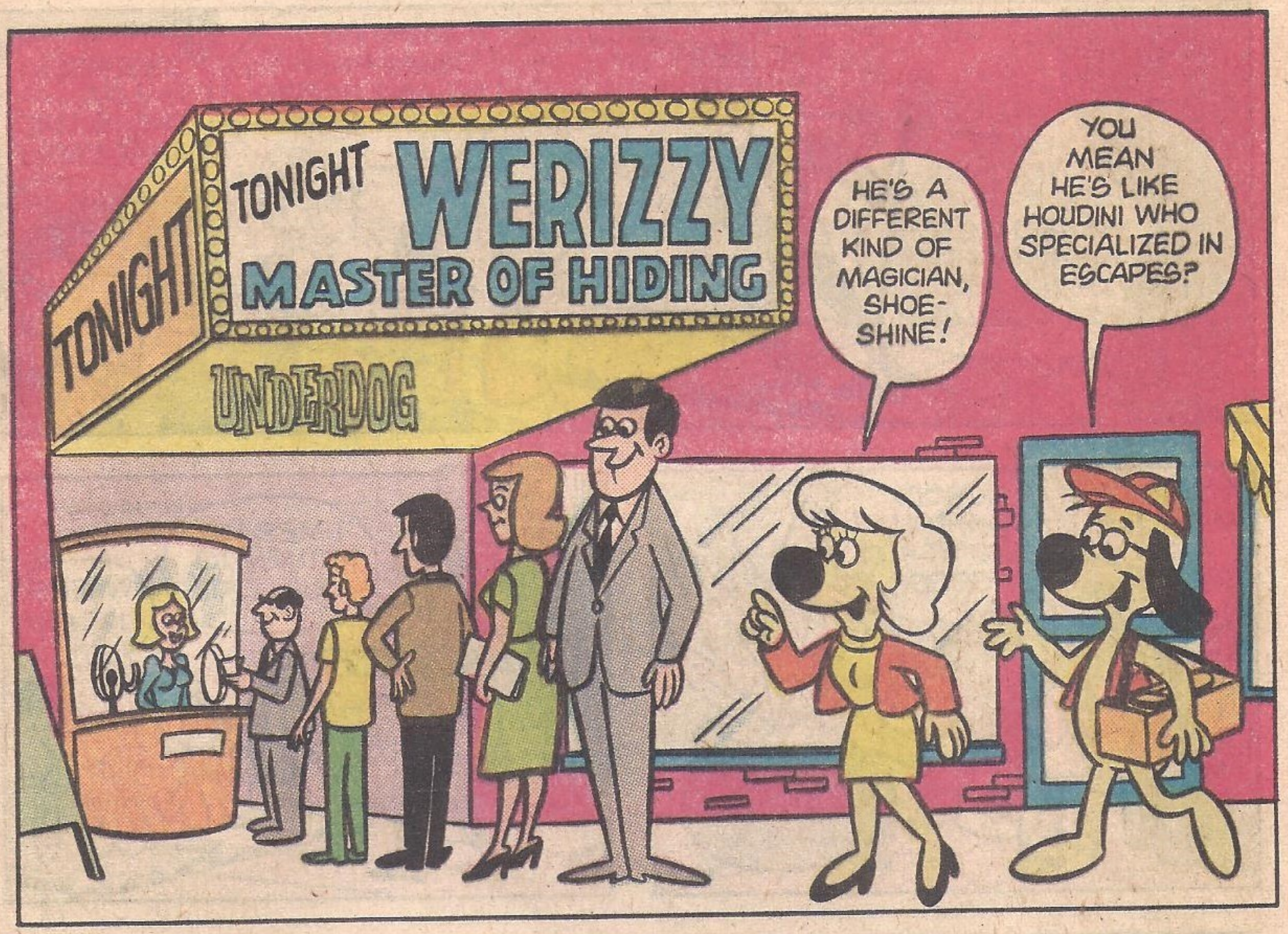
THOSE LITTLE TYKES ARE ALWAYS PUTTING THE BITE ON ME!

MEAN-WHILE...
BOSS, I JUST HEARD THAT UNDERDOG WAS SEEN FIGHTING A GIANT FLEA!
WHAT?
OH, NO! THAT MUST HAVE BEEN OUR FLEA!


THE RAY MUST HAVE HAD A DELAYED EFFECT! I NEVER FIGURED ON THAT!
AND--AND I JUST DESTROYED THE DEVICE AND BURNED ALL MY NOTES!

GNAAA! I HAD THE PERFECT WAY TO TAKE CARE OF THE UNDERDOG, AND NOW IT'S GONE!
C'MON, CAD--KICK ME! I DESERVE IT FOR BEING SUCH A DUMMY!
The END


UNDERDOG
POLLY FALLS AGAIN!
WOW! A SPOTTED-BREASTED, RUBY-THROATED, NEEDLE-BEAKED GOONO-BIRD!
WHAT A GREAT FIND THIS IS FOR A BIRD-WATCHER LIKE ME! IT'S--
YOWP! GOOD GRIEF! IT'S BREAKING!
HELP, MY UNDERDOG! I'M FALLING OFF A TREMENDOUSLY HIGH CLIFF! HELP! HELP!
GOTCHA!
LISTEN, SWEET POLLY- I DON'T MEAN TO COMPLAIN! I MEAN, REALLY AND TRULY THAT'S HARDLY MY AIM!
BUT STILL I'D HAVE MORE TIME TO FIGHT CRIME...
...IF I DIDN'T HAVE TO SAVE YOU FROM FALLING ALL THE TIME!
SORRY, MY UNDERDOG! I'LL TRY TO BE MORE C--WHAT?
WOWEE!
A YELLOW-BEAKED, DOUBLE-BREASTED, TWEED-TWEETER!... THIS IS FANTASTIC!
HMMPH! I HAVE A FEELING POLLY DIDN'T LISTEN TO WHAT I SAID AT ALL!
THERE SHE GOES AFTER ANOTHER BIRD, AND HEADING FOR ANOTHER FALL!


TONIGHT
TONIGHT WERIZZY MASTER OF HIDING
UNDERDOG
HE'S A DIFFERENT KIND OF MAGICIAN, SHOE-SHINE!
YOU MEAN HE'S LIKE HOUDINI WHO SPECIALIZED IN ESCAPES?

YES, ONLY WERIZZY SPECIALIZES IN HIDING!
THERE'S A TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS PRIZE IF ANYONE IN THE AUDIENCE CAN FIND HIM!

THAT'S THE GIMMICK! WHAT ARE YOU READING?
THERE'VE BEEN A LOT OF JEWEL THEFTS LATELY!
NEWS

RELAX AND ENJOY THE SHOW!...
NEITHER WILL ANYONE ELSE IF THIS KEEPS UP!
I DON'T HAVE ANY JEWELS!

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN! AS USUAL, THE SHOW IS IN THE AUDIENCE! SOMEWHERE IN THIS THEATER, WERIZZY IS HIDING!

YOU HAVE TWENTY MINUTES TO FIND HIM AND COLLECT THE GRAND PRIZE OF TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS!
LET'S LOOK FOR HIM, POLLY!
WHAT AN USUAL SHOW! NOTHING HAPPENS ON THE STAGE!
I'VE SEEN A LOT OF SHOWS LIKE THAT, LADY!

I CAN'T FIND HIM ANYWHERE!
NOBODY CAN, POLLY! HE'S REALLY GOOD!

LATER...
TIME'S UP! RETURN TO YOUR SEATS!
WHERE IS HE?

VERY GOOD, MADAM!
YOU WIN THE PRIZE FOR GUESSING HOW HE GOT HIS NAME!
OH, I'M SO EMBARRASSED!

YOU LOOKED HIGH AND LOW, THERE AND HERE! BUT YOU CAN'T FIND HIM BECAUSE...

...HE IS THE CHANDELIER!
:GASP:
OH!
MY!

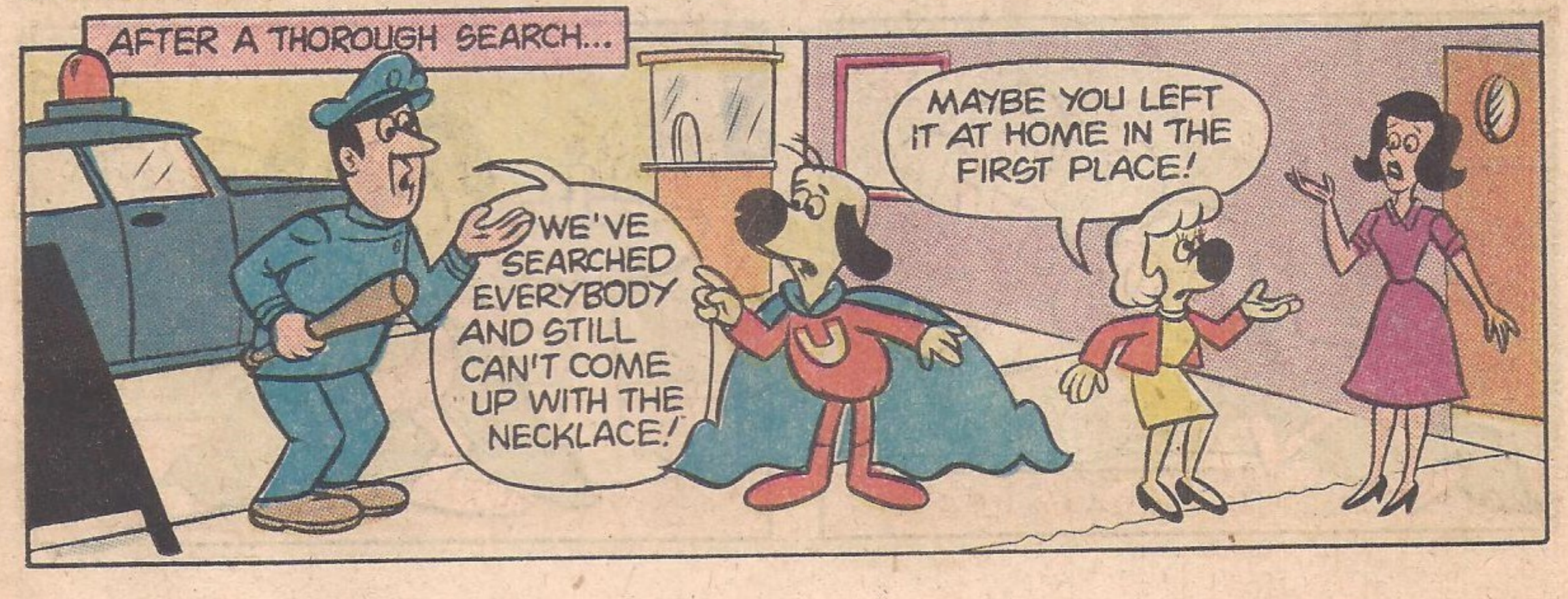
NOW THAT WAS SOME SHOW, SHOESHINE!
HE SURE IS THE MASTER OF HIDING! I DOUBT IF EVEN UNDERDOG COULD FIND HIM!
EEK!

WHAT HAPPENED?
MY JEWELS ARE GONE!

SOMEONE STOLE MY DIAMOND NECK-LACE!
THIS LOOKS LIKE A JOB FOR UNDERDOG!
TELEPHONE

UNDERDOG! THANK GOOD-NESS YOU'RE HERE!... GROAN
JUST STOPPED IN TO USE THE PHONE!
TELEPHONE
TELL ME, POLLY, WHY THE GROAN?

HAVE NO FEAR! UNDERDOG AND THE POLICE ARE HERE!


AFTER A THOROUGH SEARCH...
WE'VE SEARCHED EVERYBODY AND STILL CAN'T COME UP WITH THE NECKLACE!
MAYBE YOU LEFT IT AT HOME IN THE FIRST PLACE!

THEY MAY BE SATISFIED, BUT I'M NOT! I'LL STICK AROUND WHILE THOSE JEWELS ARE STILL HOT!

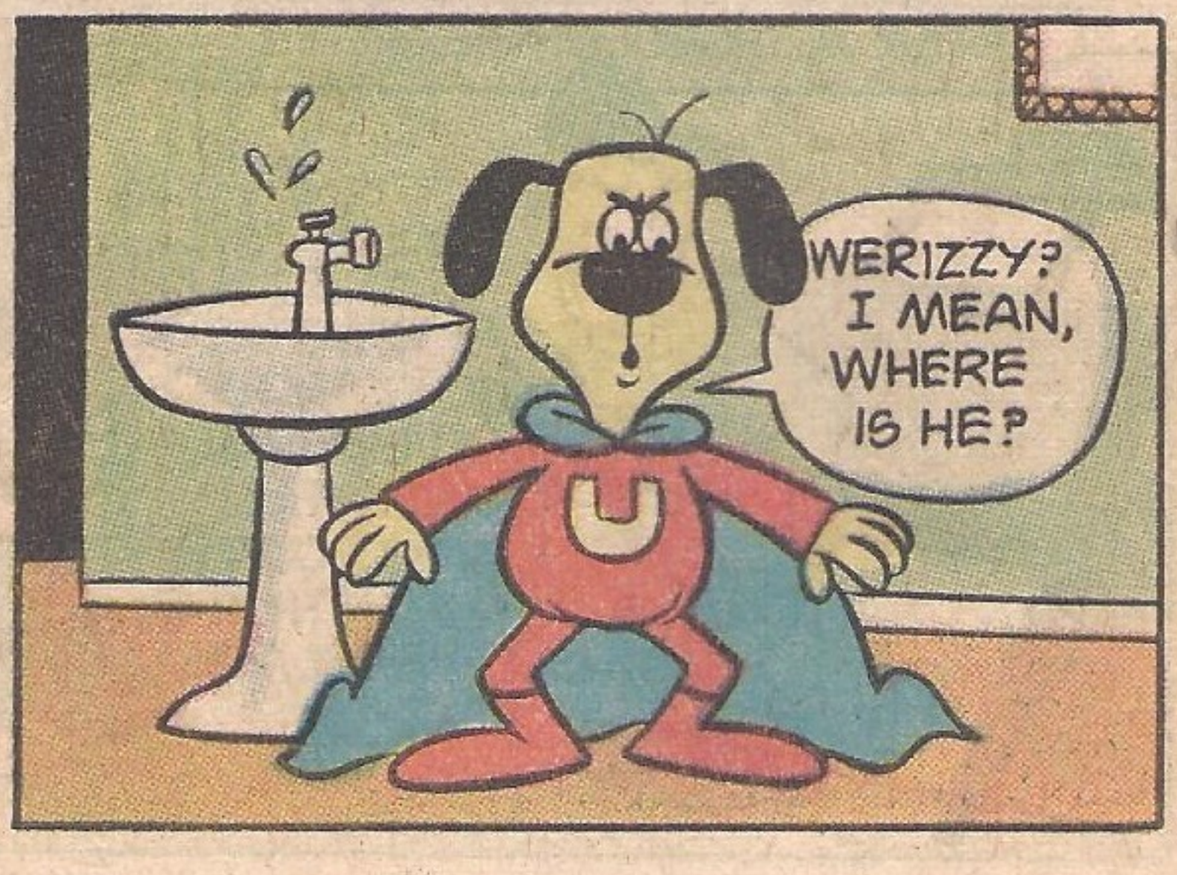
I CAN DO A LITTLE SEARCHING OF MY OWN!
WHAT'S THIS?

GET READY TO DIVE! THAT OIL PAINTING IS COMING ALIVE!

IT'S WERIZZY AND THE NECKLACE IS FOR REAL! I NEVER THOUGHT HE WOULD STEAL!

SO YOU'RE THE THIEF, THE THORN IN MY SIDE! IT'S NO USE, THERE'S NO PLACE TO HIDE!
OH, YEAH?

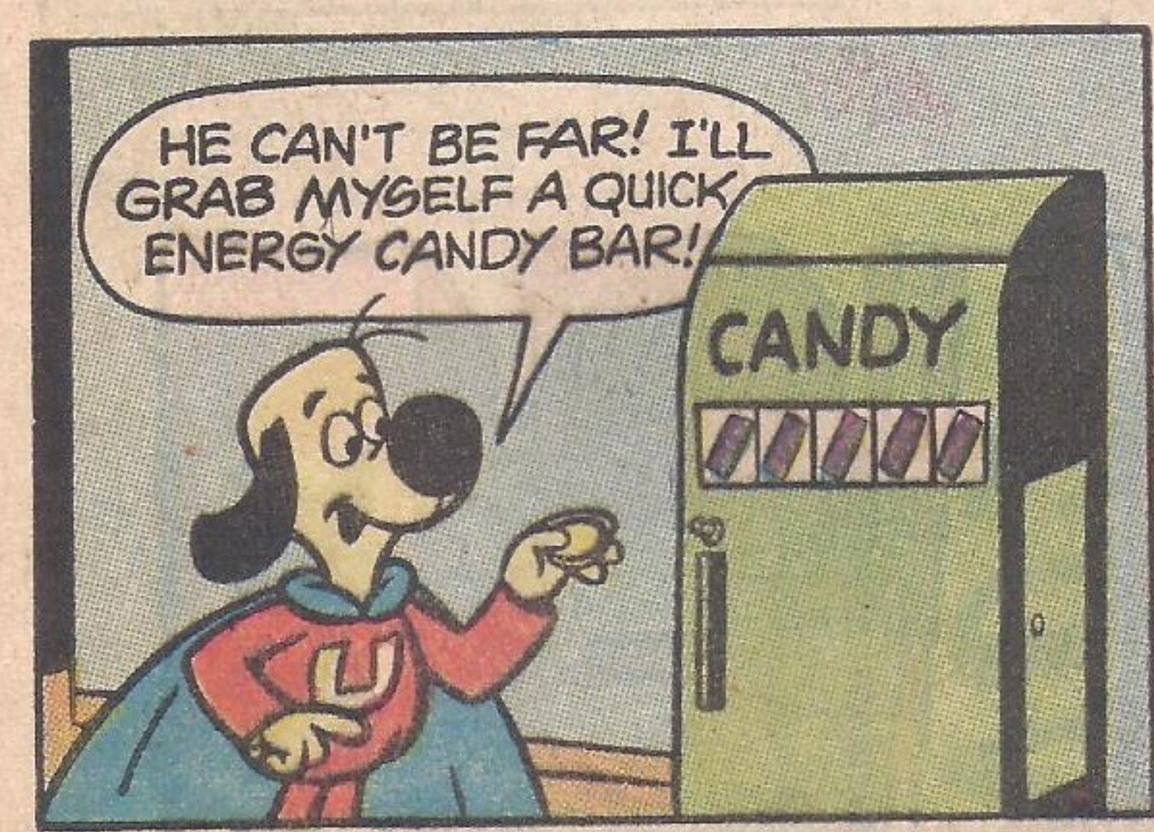
POOF!


WERIZZY? I MEAN, WHERE IS HE?

SPLASH!
GLUG!

VERY FUNNY! I'M ALL WET! KEEP LAUGHING! I'LL GET YOU YET!
HEH HEH!

NOW STARRING
HE'S GOT ME IN A TIZZY! ALL I CAN SAY IS-- WERIZZY?
CANDY


HE CAN'T BE FAR! I'LL GRAB MYSELF A QUICK ENERGY CANDY BAR!
CANDY

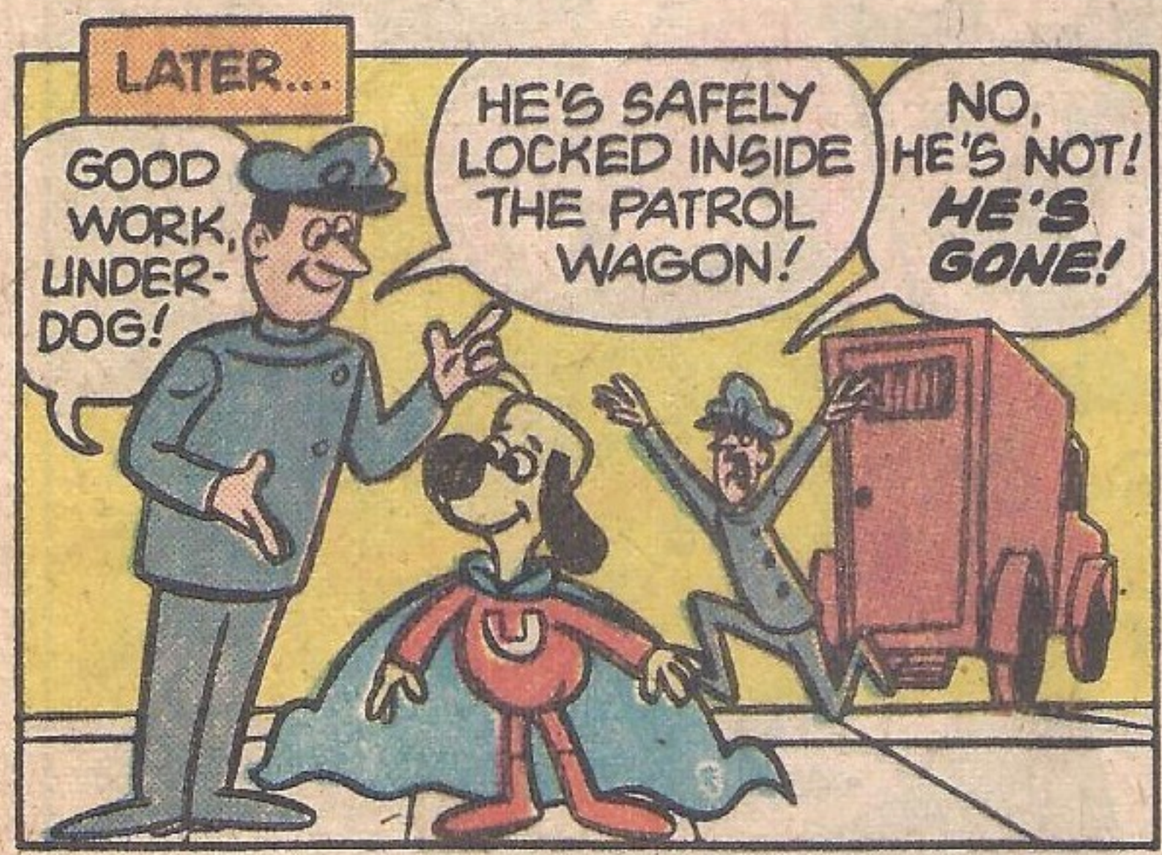
THANKS, FELLOW!
CANDY

FELLOW?
IT'S NO USE, UNDERDOG! I'M THE MASTER OF HIDING! YOU CAN'T FIND ME UNLESS I LET YOU!
CANDY

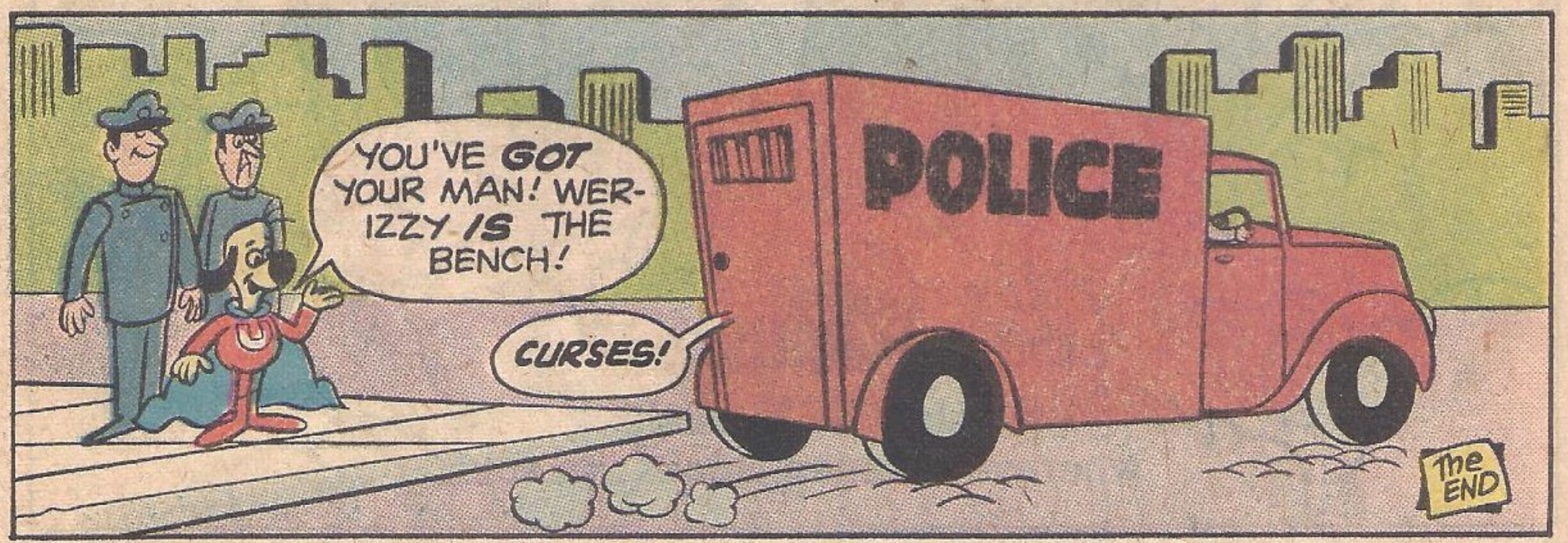
WHERE HAS HE GONE? WHERE CAN HE BE?

I JUST CAN'T SEE--
OOPS!
THUNK!

HE IS THE TREE!
LET ME UP!


LATER...
GOOD WORK, UNDER-DOG!
HE'S SAFELY LOCKED INSIDE THE PATROL WAGON!
NO, HE'S NOT! HE'S GONE!

THERE'S NOTHING IN THE PATROL WAGON BUT THE BENCH FOR HIM TO SIT ON!
RELAX, OFFICER! THAT ONE'S A CINCH!


YOU'VE GOT YOUR MAN! WER-IZZY IS THE BENCH!
CURSES!
POLICE
The END

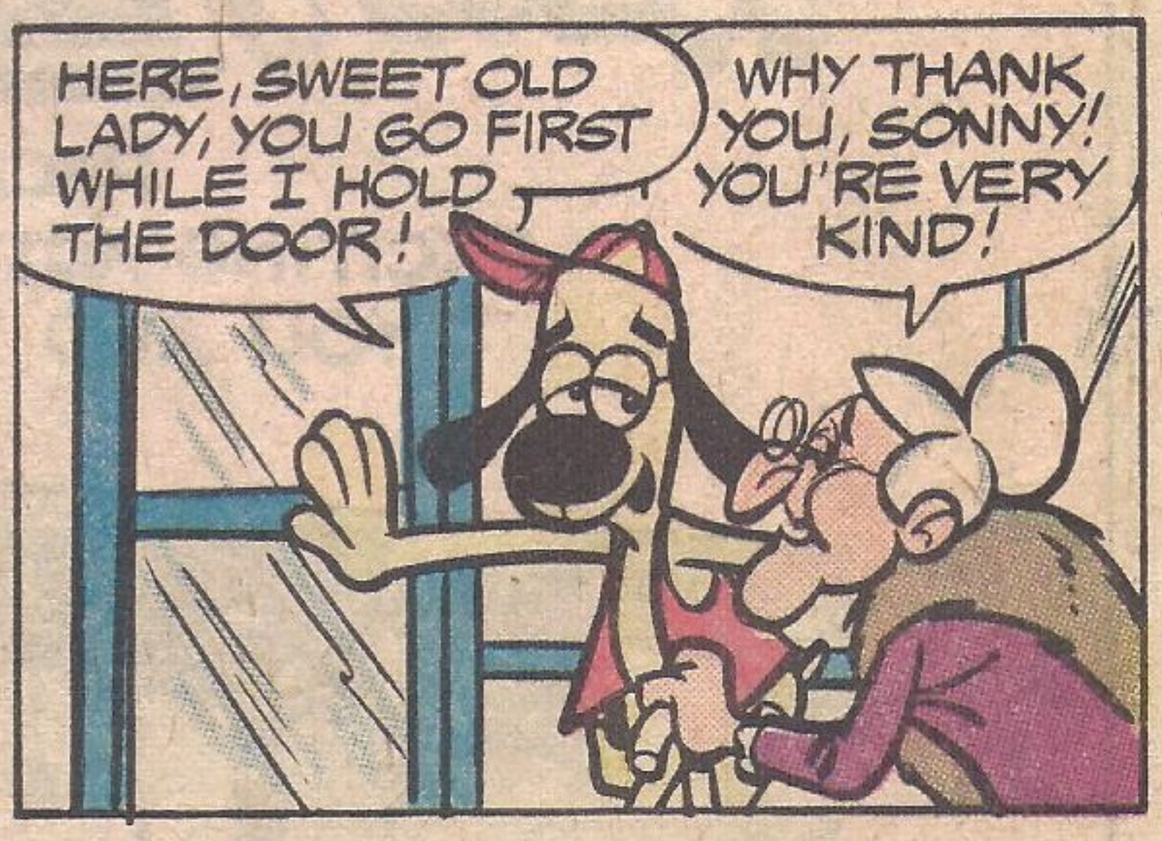
UNDERDOG

HOME TO REST!

POOR SHOESHINE, WORKING HIS FINGERS TO THE BONE FOR A MEAGER WAGE- ENDS HIS DAY IN EXHAUSTION!

WHAT A DAY! I'VE SEEN MORE FEET THAN THE CHOREO-GRAPHER OF THE ROCKEETS!

SHINE



CONGRATULATIONS, SON! YOU'VE JUST BECOME OUR ONE MILLIONTH CUSTOMER!
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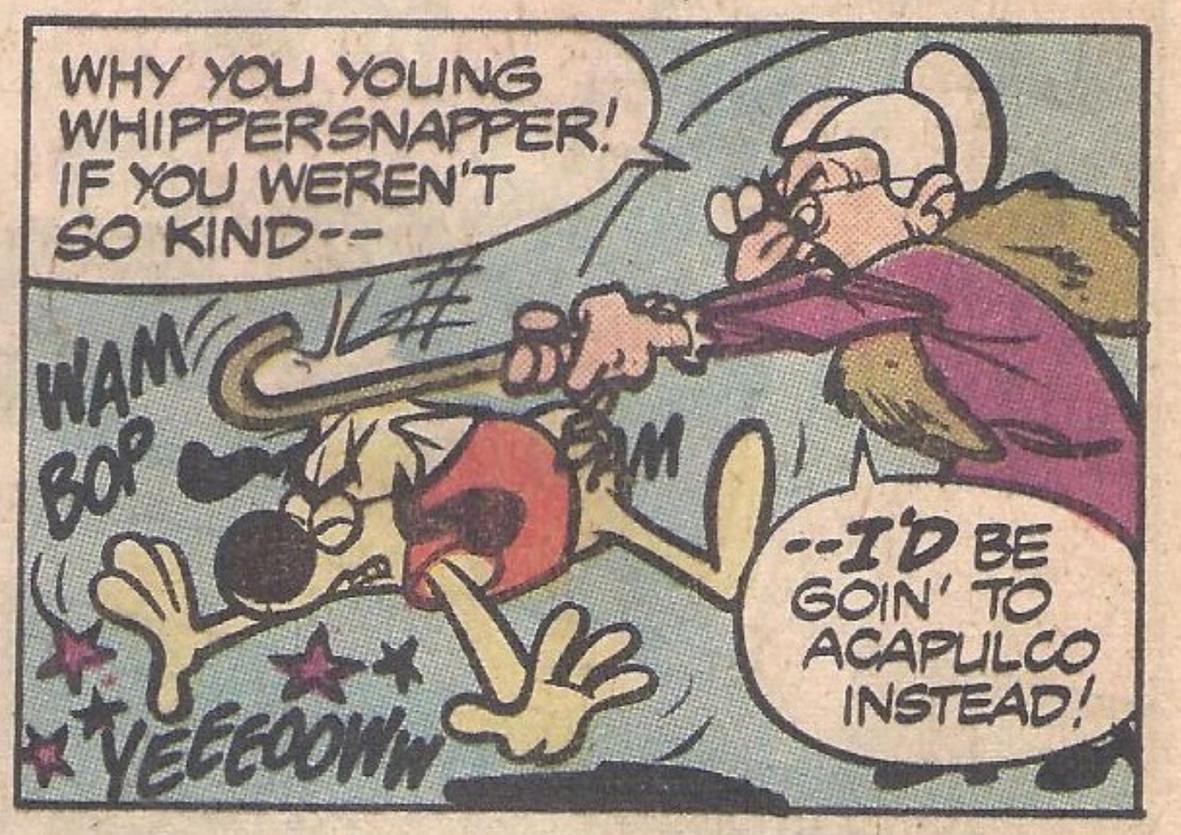
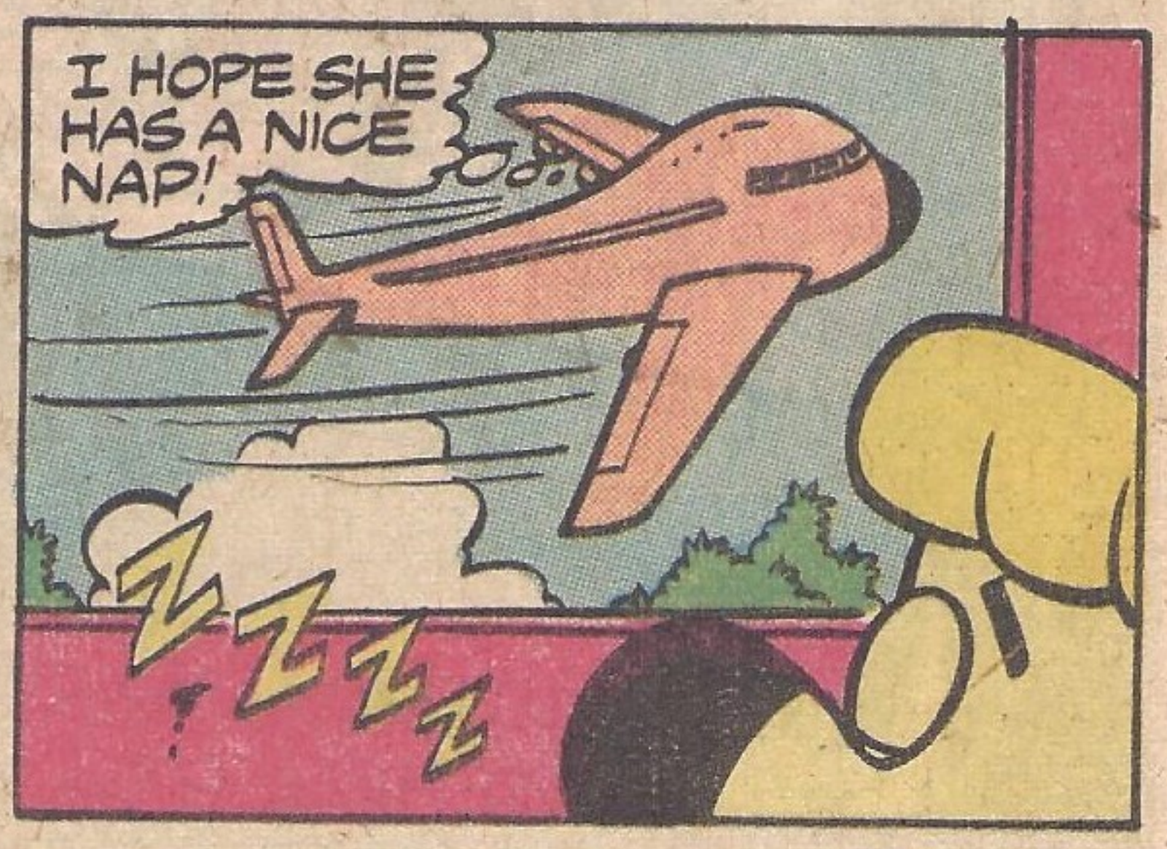
AND DO WE HAVE A SURPRISE FOR YOU!

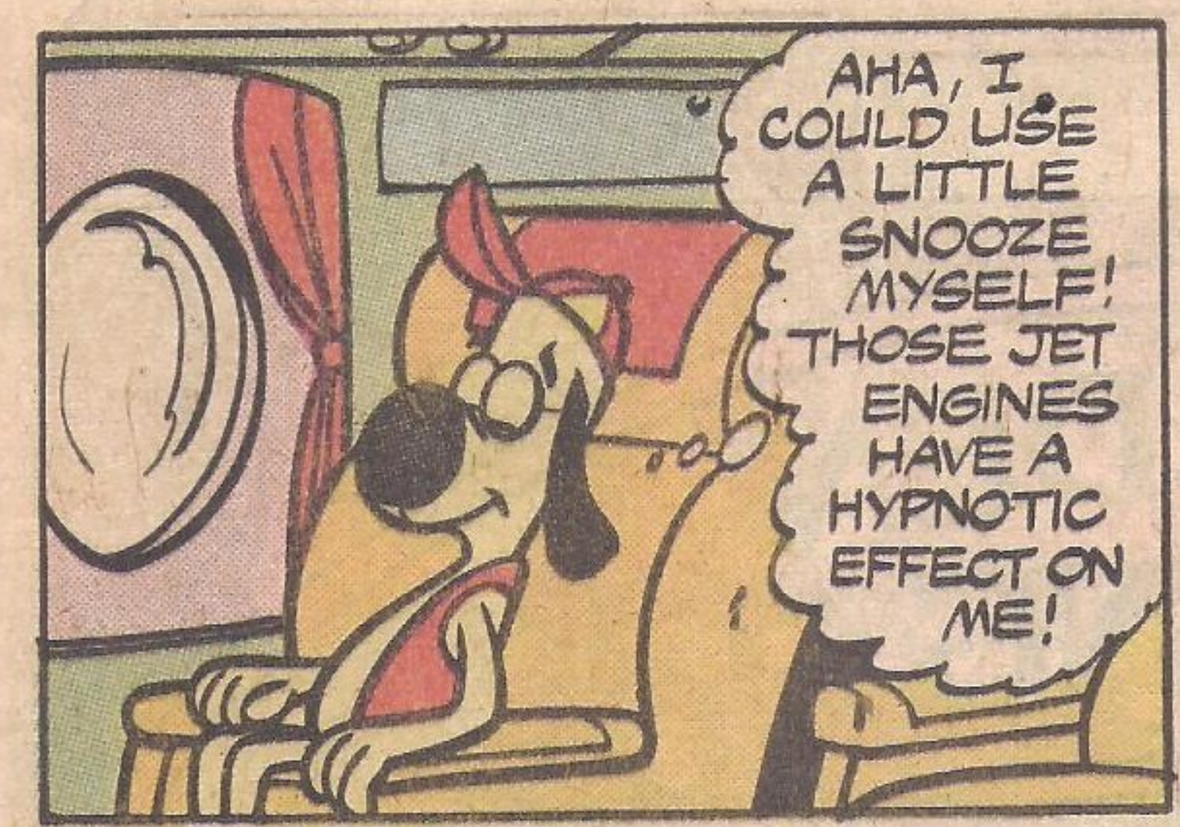
WE'RE GIVING YOU AN ALL-EXPENSE-PAID WEEKEND IN SUNNY ACAPULCO!
ALONG WITH A NEW WARD-ROBE!
PLUS SOME SPENDING MONEY!

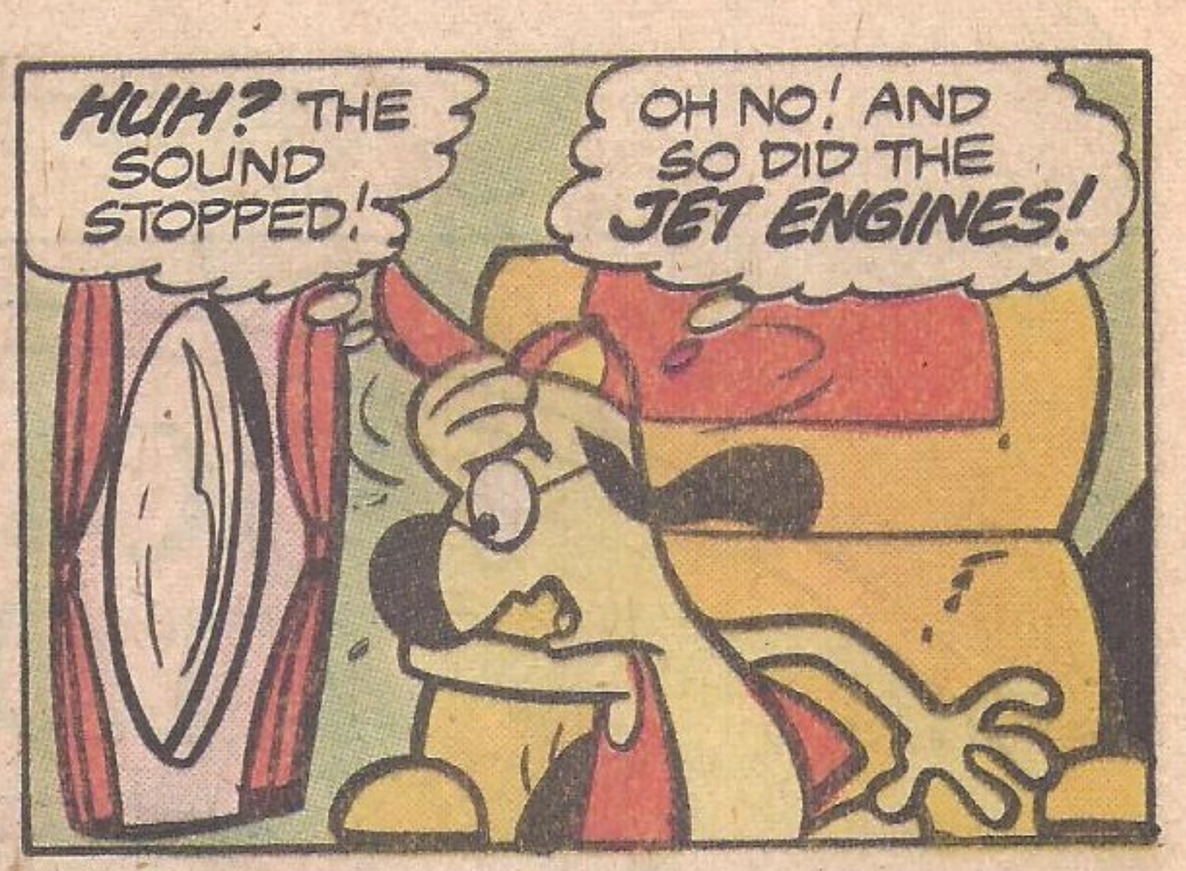

WHY YOU YOUNG WHIPPERSNAPPER! IF YOU WEREN'T SO KIND--
WAM BOP
YEEGOOWW
--I'D BE GOIN' TO ACAPULCO INSTEAD!

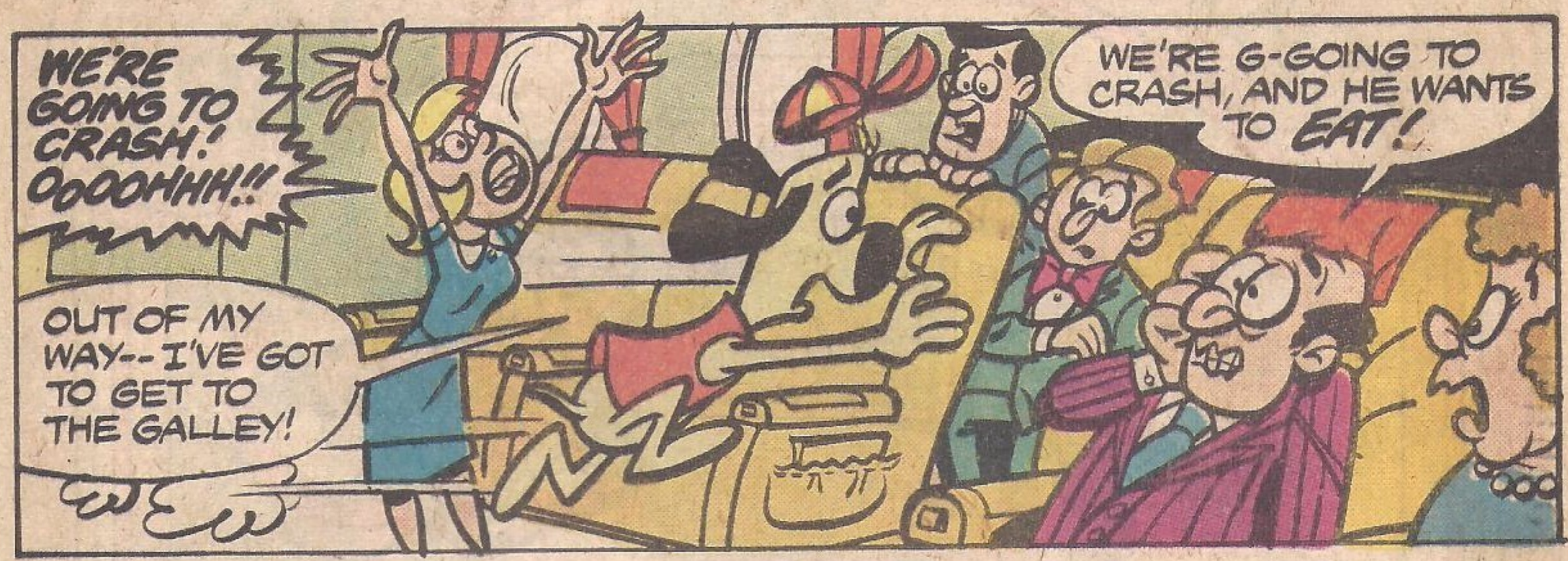
NOW HERE IS YOUR AIRLINE TICKET-- YOUR FLIGHT LEAVES AT 6:30 AM!
AND I HAVE YOUR CASH PRIZE!
AND HERE COMES YOUR NEW LUGGAGE! ALL COMPLIMENTS OF HASTY DEPARTMENT STORE!

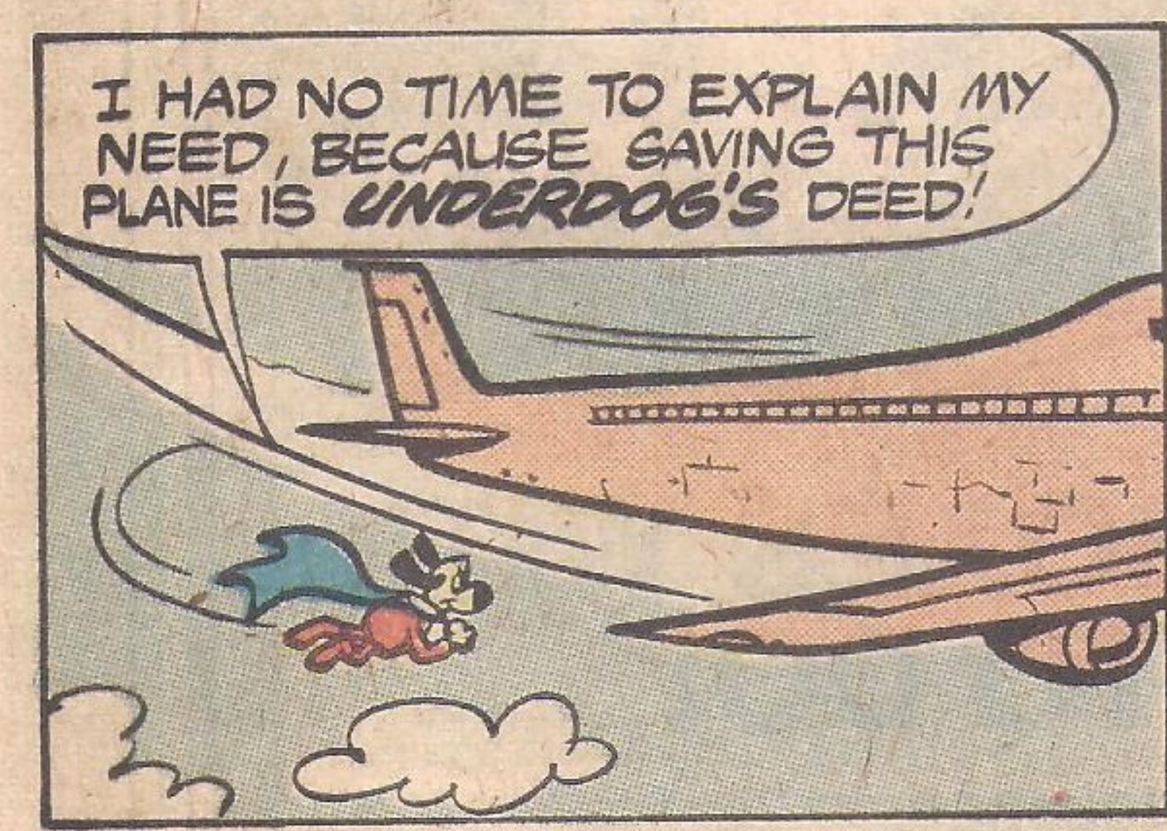
NEXT MORNING...
GEE, POLLY, THANKS FOR SEEING ME OFF! I KNOW IT'S KINDA EARLY, AND THAT...
GATE 4

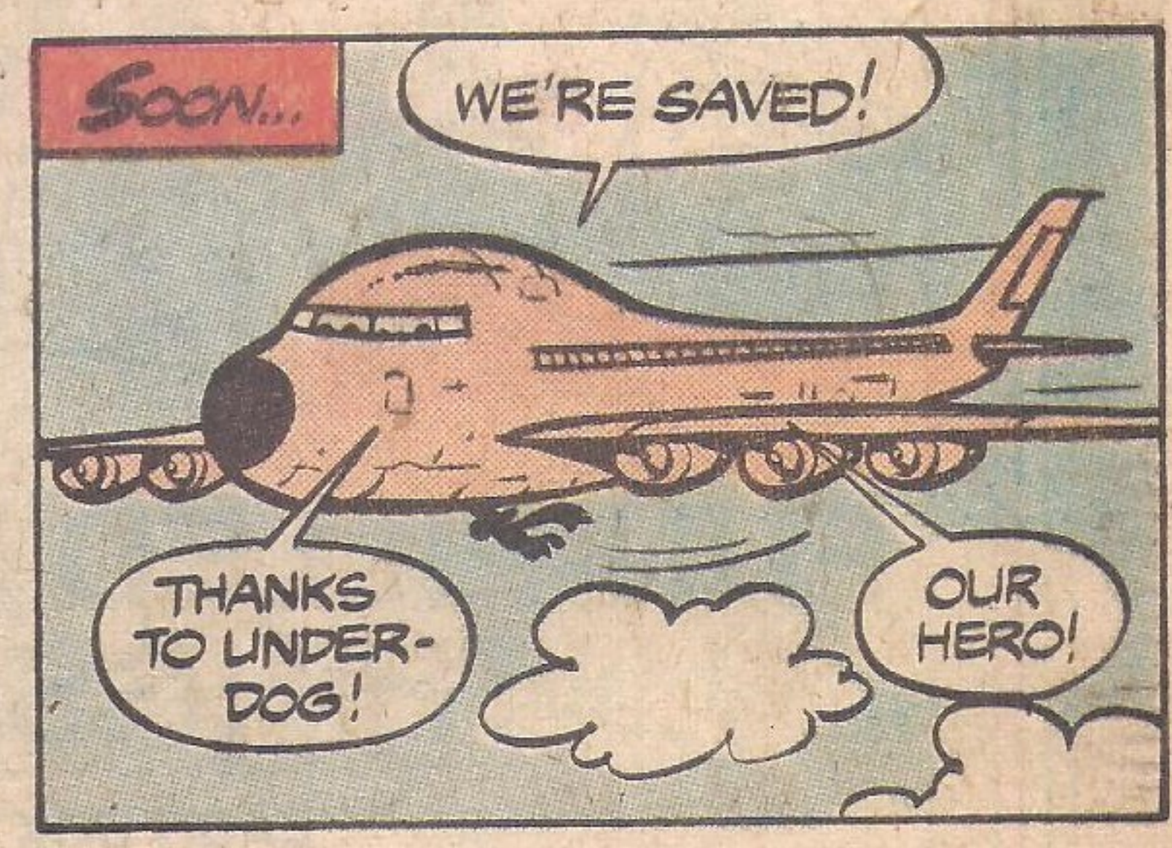

I HOPE SHE HAS A NICE NAP!
ZZZZ


AHA, I COULD USE A LITTLE SNOOZE MYSELF! THOSE JET ENGINES HAVE A HYPNOTIC EFFECT ON ME!


HUH? THE SOUND STOPPED!
OH NO! AND SO DID THE JET ENGINES!


WE'RE GOING TO CRASH! OOOOHHH!!
WE'RE G-GOING TO CRASH, AND HE WANTS TO EAT!
OUT OF MY WAY-- I'VE GOT TO GET TO THE GALLEY!


I HAD NO TIME TO EXPLAIN MY NEED, BECAUSE SAVING THIS PLANE IS UNDERDOG'S DEED!


SOON...
WE'RE SAVED!
THANKS TO UNDER-DOG!
OUR HERO!

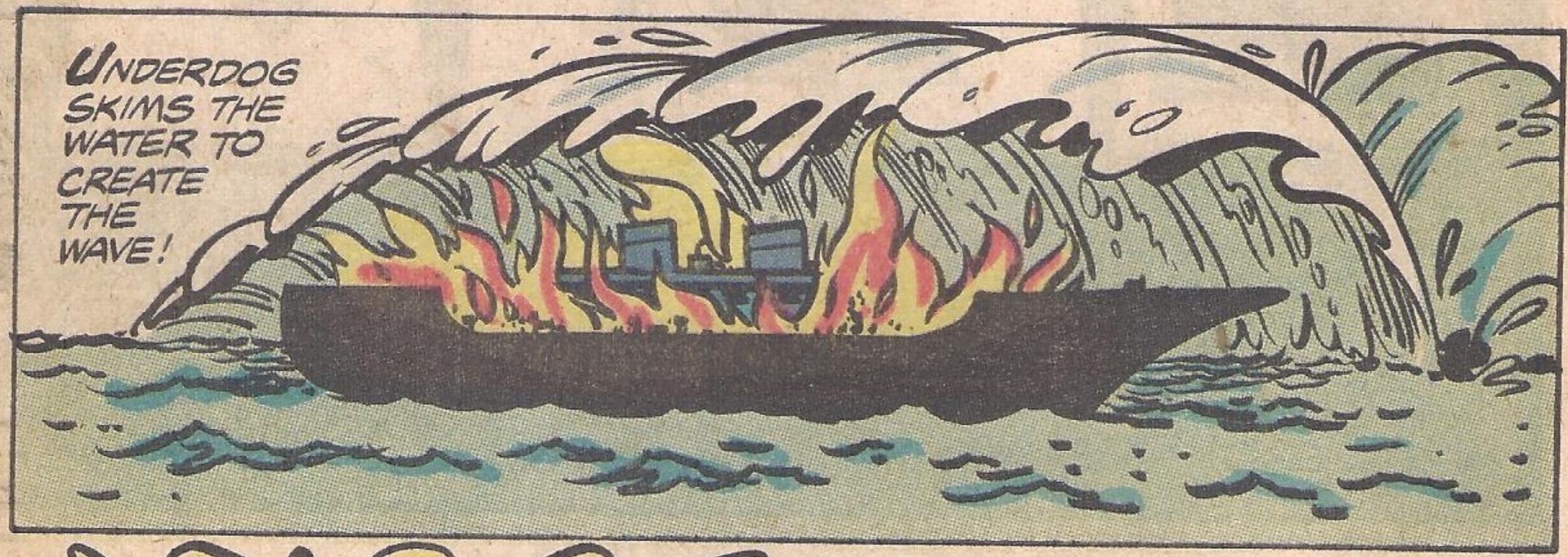
FINALLY...
CARRYING THAT 747 ALL THIS WAY IS A TIRING JOB -- EVEN FOR UNDERDOG!

AT THE HOTEL...
MIGHT AS WELL WATCH SOME T.V. WHILE I UNPACK!
CLICK!

...THE LAST REPORT WAS THAT THE COAST GUARD WOULD NOT MAKE IT IN TIME TO SAVE THE BURNING OIL SHIP OUT AT SEA...
WH-WHAT?

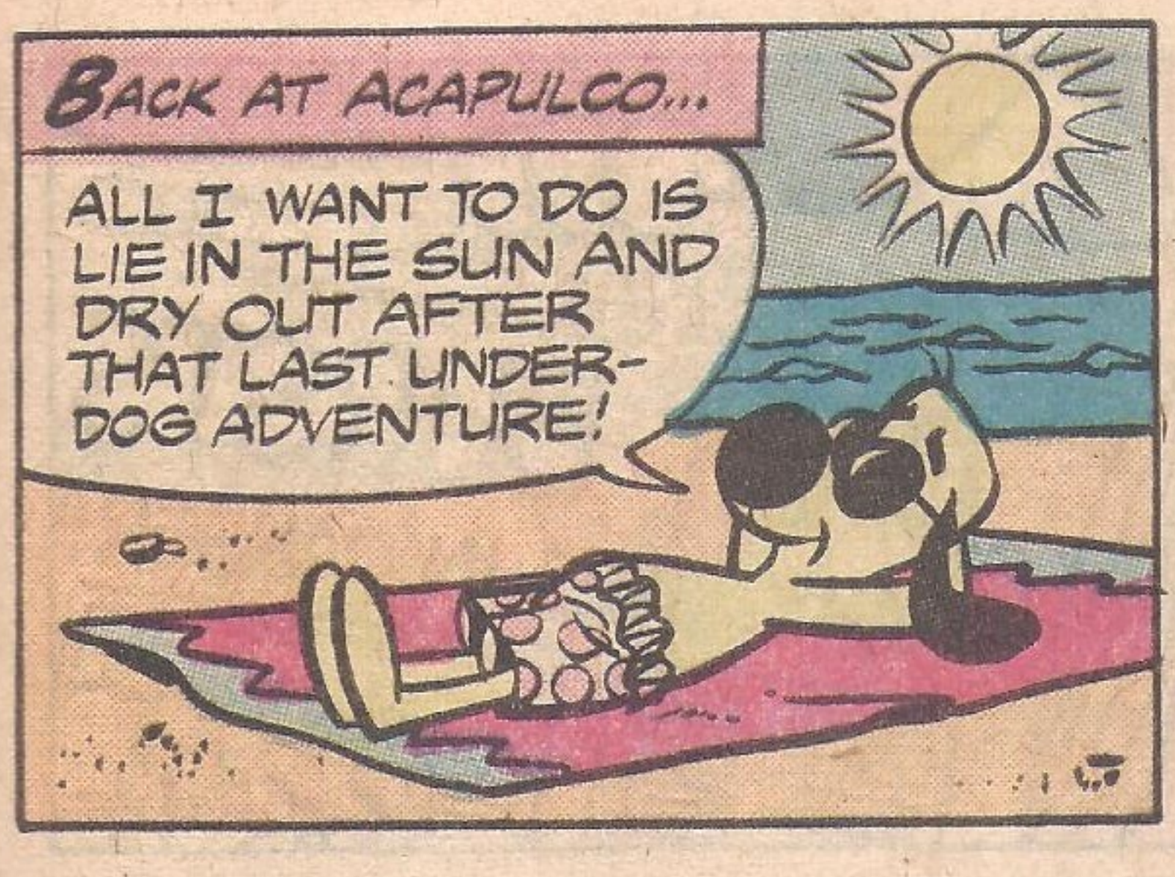
A BURNING OIL SHIP OUT AT SEA, MIGHT STOP THE COAST GUARD, BUT IT WON'T STOP ME!

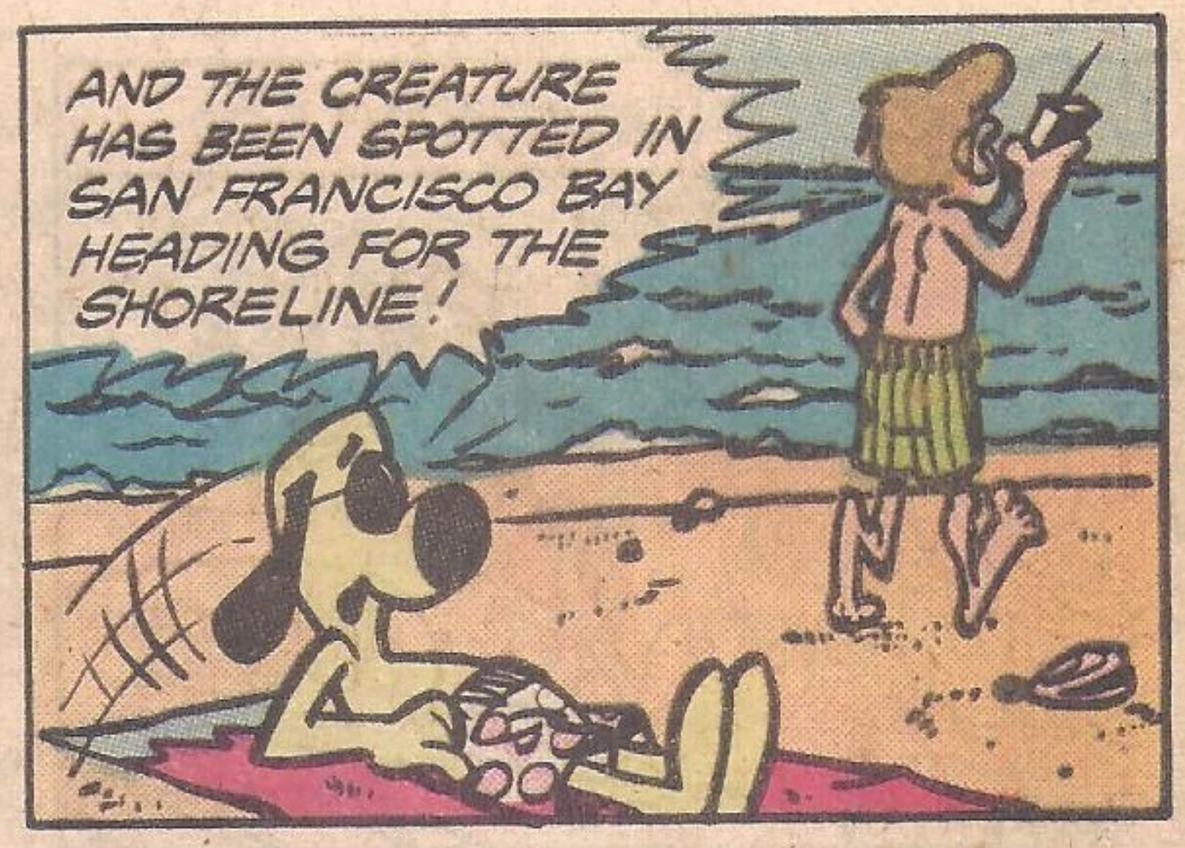
LIKE A BULLET I'LL FLY ON THE WATER'S CREST--AND MAKE A LARGE WAVE TO PUT THAT FIRE TO REST.
ZOOOOM

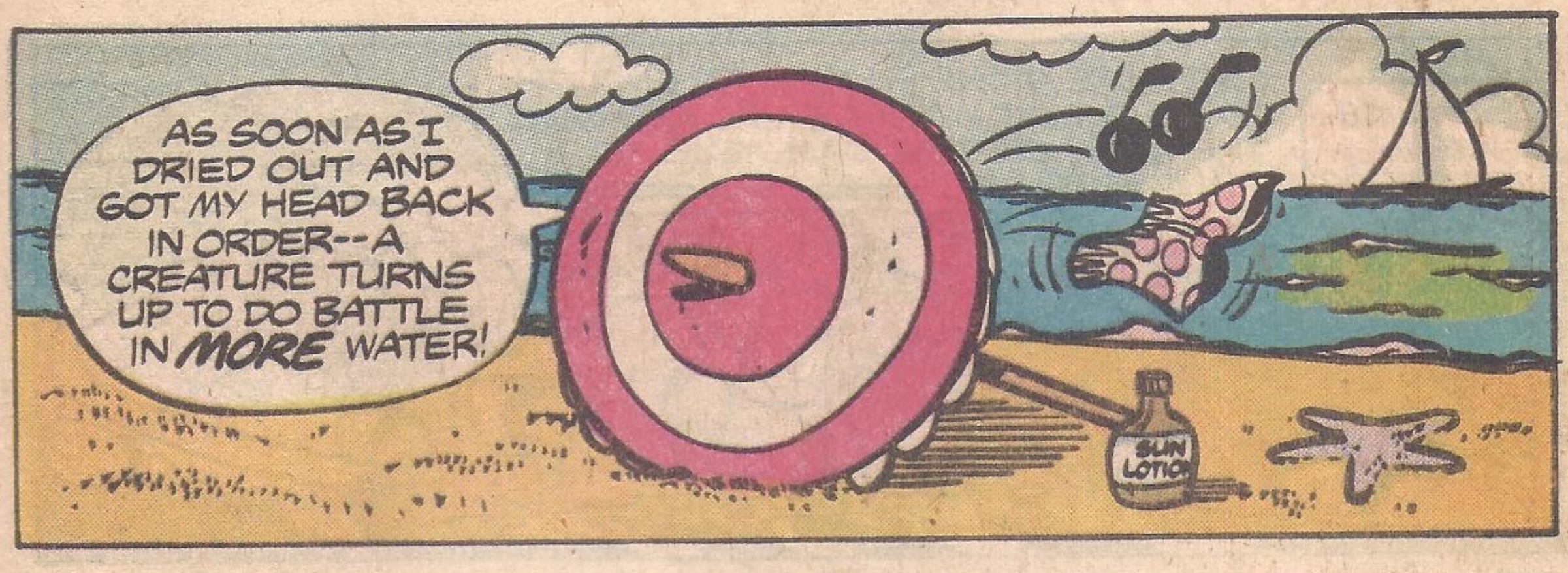

UNDERDOG SKIMS THE WATER TO CREATE THE WAVE!

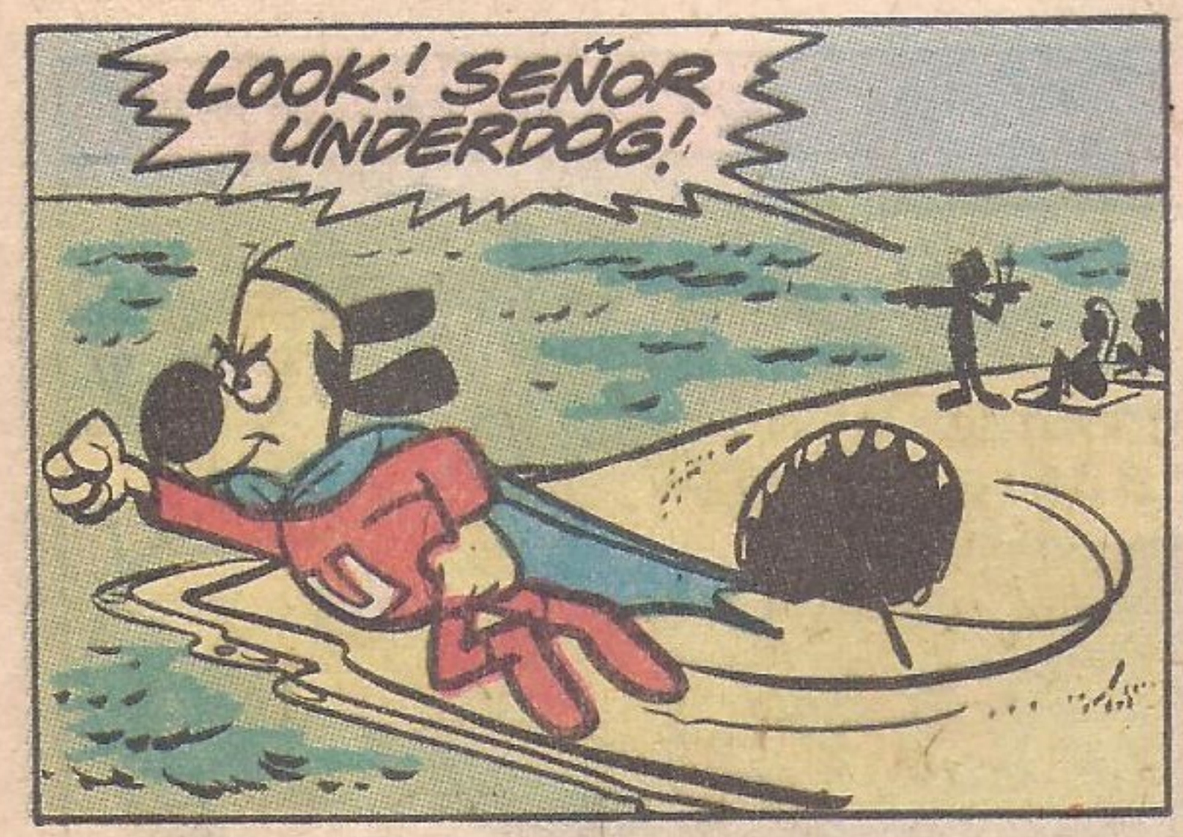
SPLASH

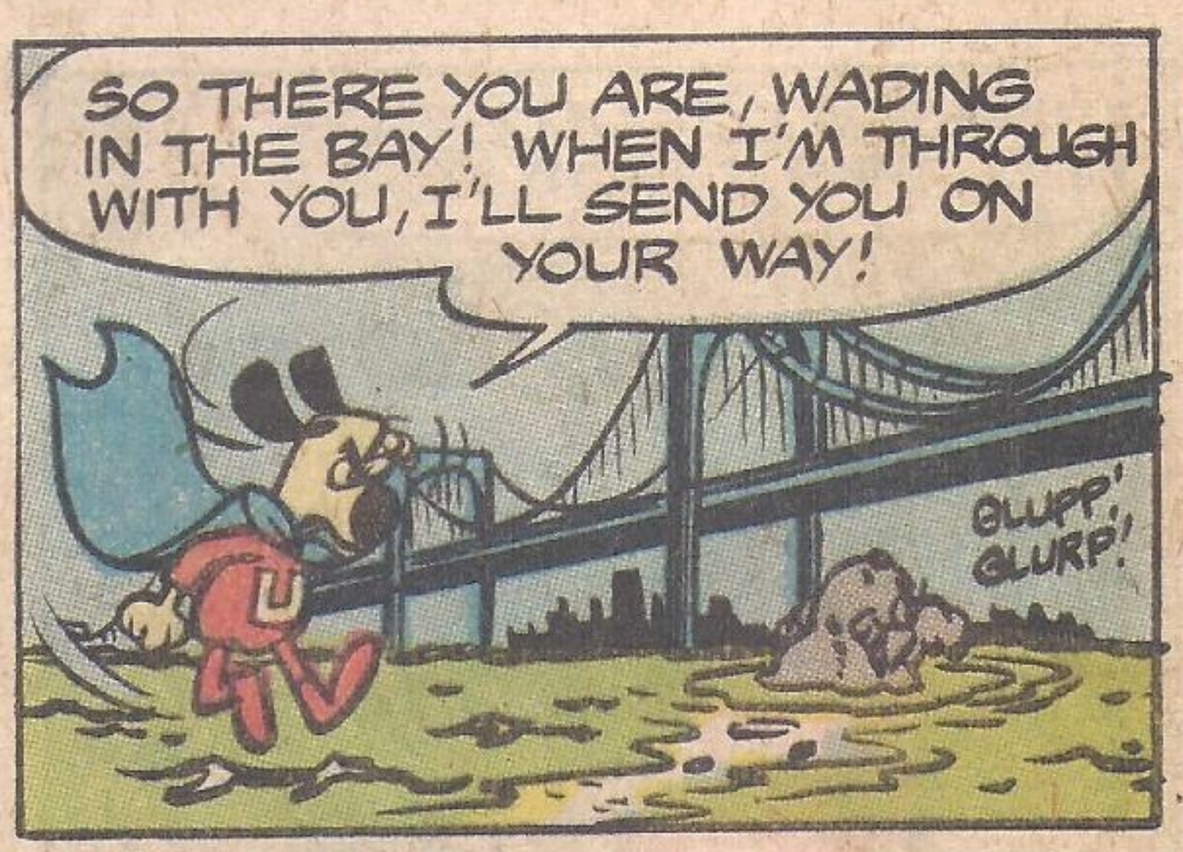
IT WORKED! WE'RE SAVED!
HOORAY FOR UNDERDOG!!

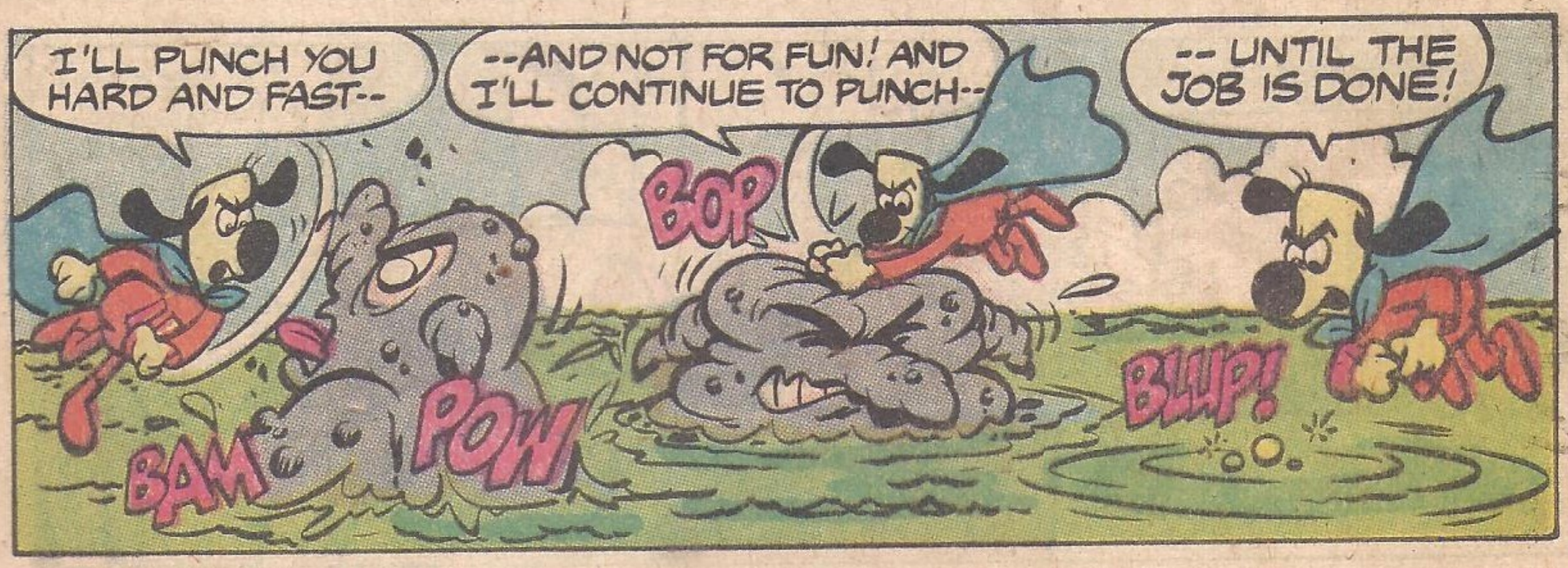

BACK AT ACAPULCO...
ALL I WANT TO DO IS LIE IN THE SUN AND DRY OUT AFTER THAT LAST UNDER-DOG ADVENTURE!


AND THE CREATURE HAS BEEN SPOTTED IN SAN FRANCISCO BAY HEADING FOR THE SHORELINE!

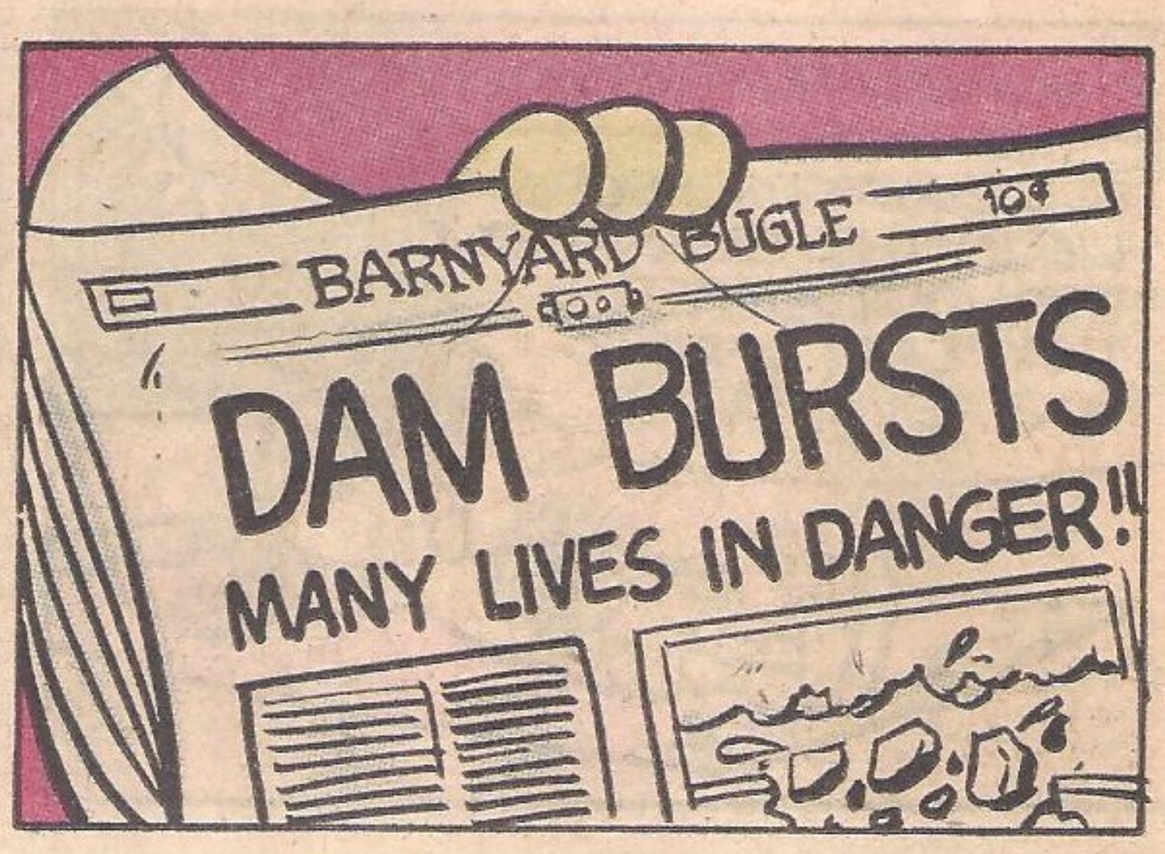

AS SOON AS I DRIED OUT AND GOT MY HEAD BACK IN ORDER--A CREATURE TURNS UP TO DO BATTLE IN MORE WATER!
SUN LOTION


LOOK! SEÑOR UNDERDOG!


SO THERE YOU ARE, WADING IN THE BAY! WHEN I'M THROUGH WITH YOU, I'LL SEND YOU ON YOUR WAY!
GLUPP! GLURP!

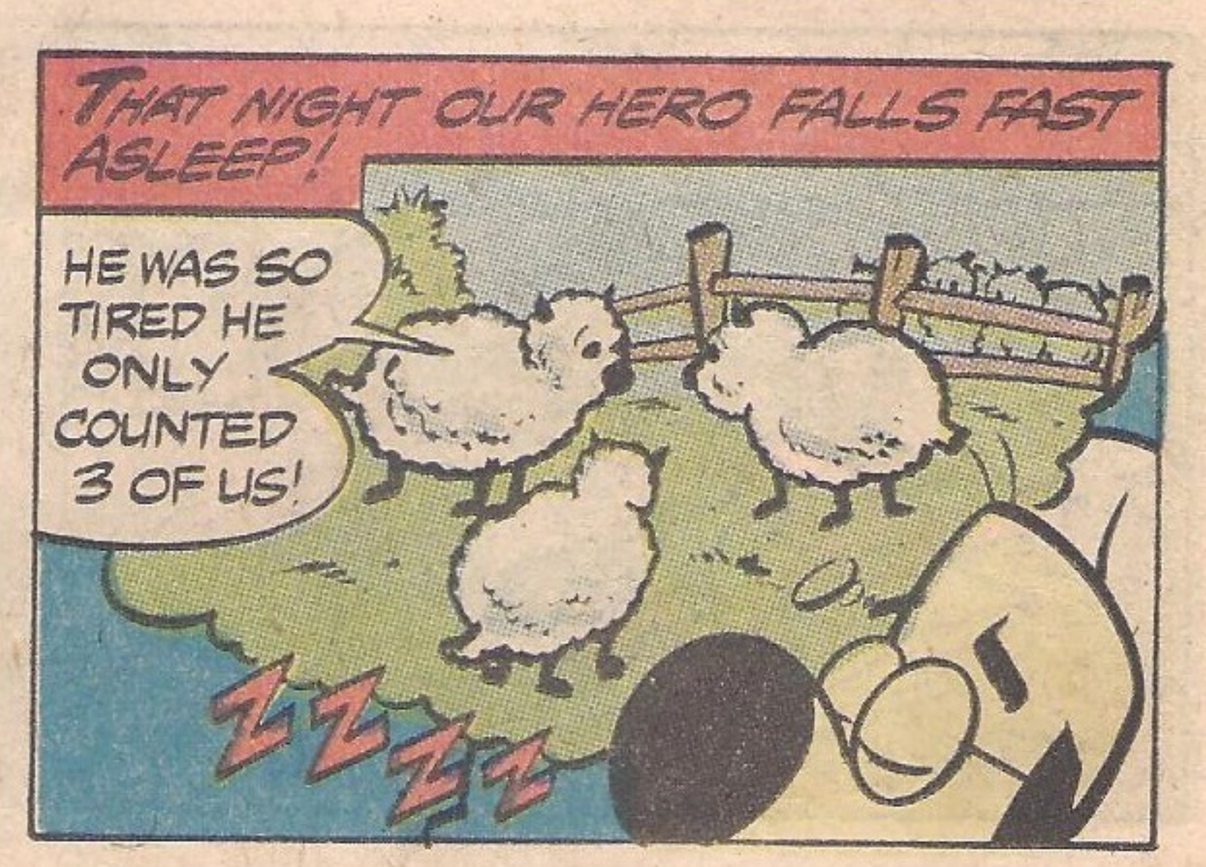

I'LL PUNCH YOU HARD AND FAST--
--AND NOT FOR FUN! AND I'LL CONTINUE TO PUNCH--
-- UNTIL THE JOB IS DONE!
BOP
BAM
POW
BLUP!

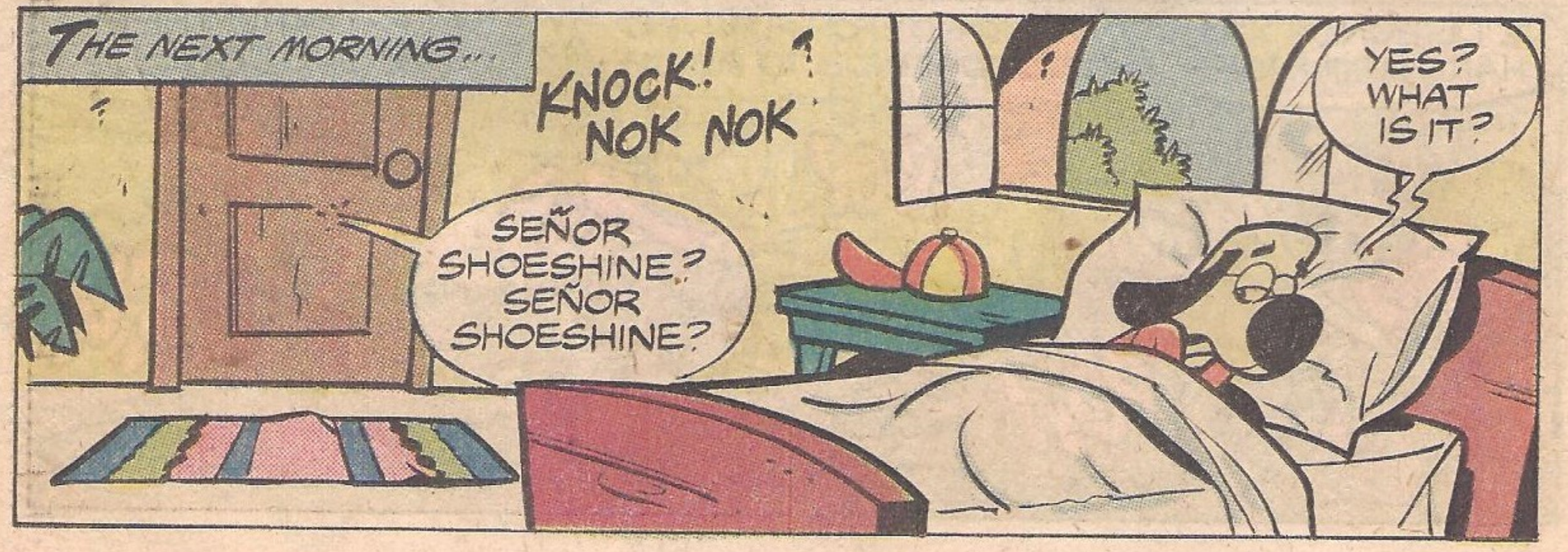
ONCE AGAIN, BACK AT ACAPULCO...
THIS VACATION IS TURNING OUT TO BE REAL WORK! I HOPE I DON'T...
AMERICAN PAPER, SEÑOR!


BARNYARD BUGLE
10¢
DAM BURSTS
MANY LIVES IN DANGER!!

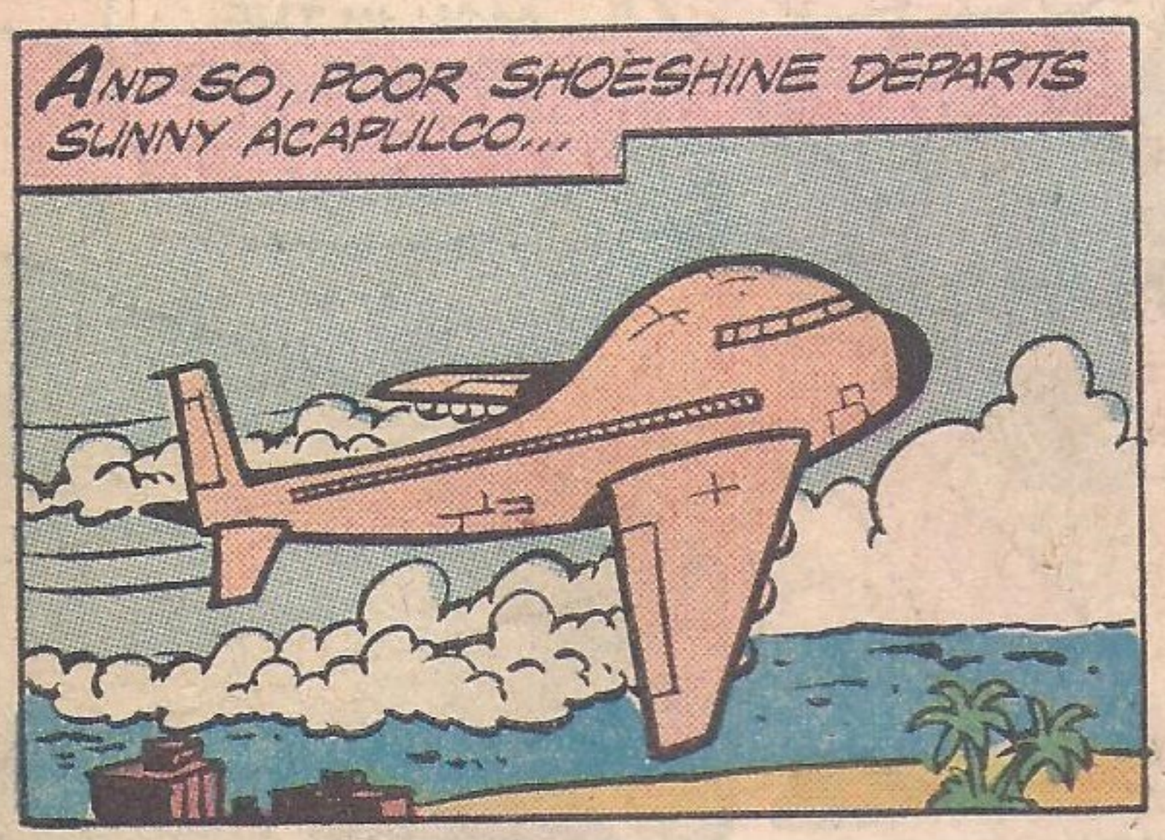
SO ONCE AGAIN UNDERDOG RUSHES TO THE RESCUE...
ONE MORE STONE SHOULD BE ENOUGH, TO HOLD THAT WATER BACK, AND GIVE THE CREW ON THIS DAM, TIME TO FIX THE CRACK!

THANKS A LOT, UNDERDOG! WE'LL TAKE IT FROM HERE!!
YIPPEEE
HOORAY

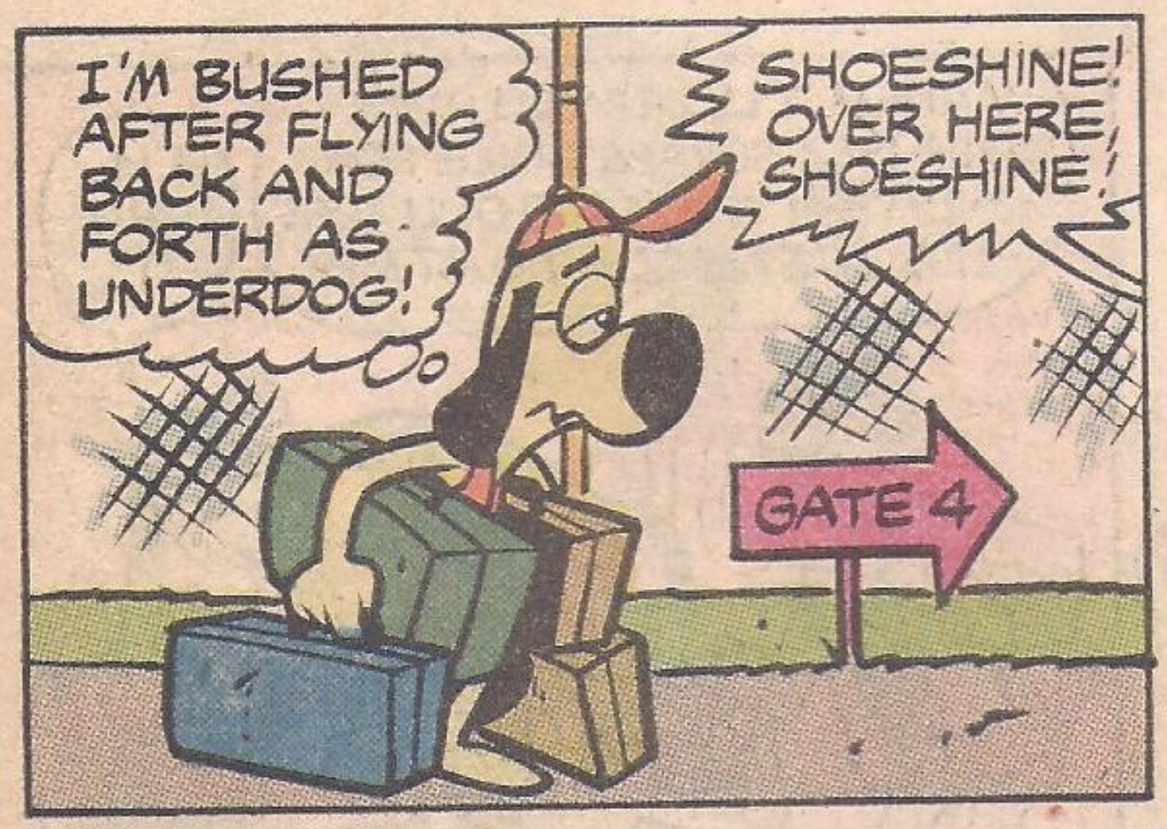

THAT NIGHT OUR HERO FALLS FAST ASLEEP!
HE WAS SO TIRED HE ONLY COUNTED 3 OF US!
ZZZZZ


THE NEXT MORNING...
KNOCK! NOK NOK
SEÑOR SHOESHINE? SEÑOR SHOESHINE?
YES? WHAT IS IT?

SEÑOR SHOESHINE, EET EES TIME TO PACK! IF YOU DON'T HURRY YOU WILL MISS YOUR FLIGHT!
WH-WHAT? YOU MEAN THE WEEKEND IS OVER?
I'VE BEEN SO BUSY AS UNDERDOG, I LOST TRACK OF THE TIME!


AND SO, POOR SHOESHINE DEPARTS SUNNY ACAPULCO...

... AND IS SOON LANDING AT THE AIRPORT IN HIS HOMETOWN...
I HOPE POLLY'S HERE TO MEET ME.


I'M BUSHED AFTER FLYING BACK AND FORTH AS UNDERDOG!
SHOESHINE! OVER HERE, SHOESHINE!
GATE 4

SHOESHINE, YOU LOOK TERRIBLE! DID YOU DRINK THE WATER? I BET IT WAS THE WATER!

UNABLE TO TELL POLLY ABOUT HIS EXPERIENCES AS UNDERDOG, SHOESHINE COMMENTS MYSTERIOUSLY...
IT WAS PARTIALLY THE WATER -- BUT I DIDN'T DRINK ANY OF IT!
?
The End

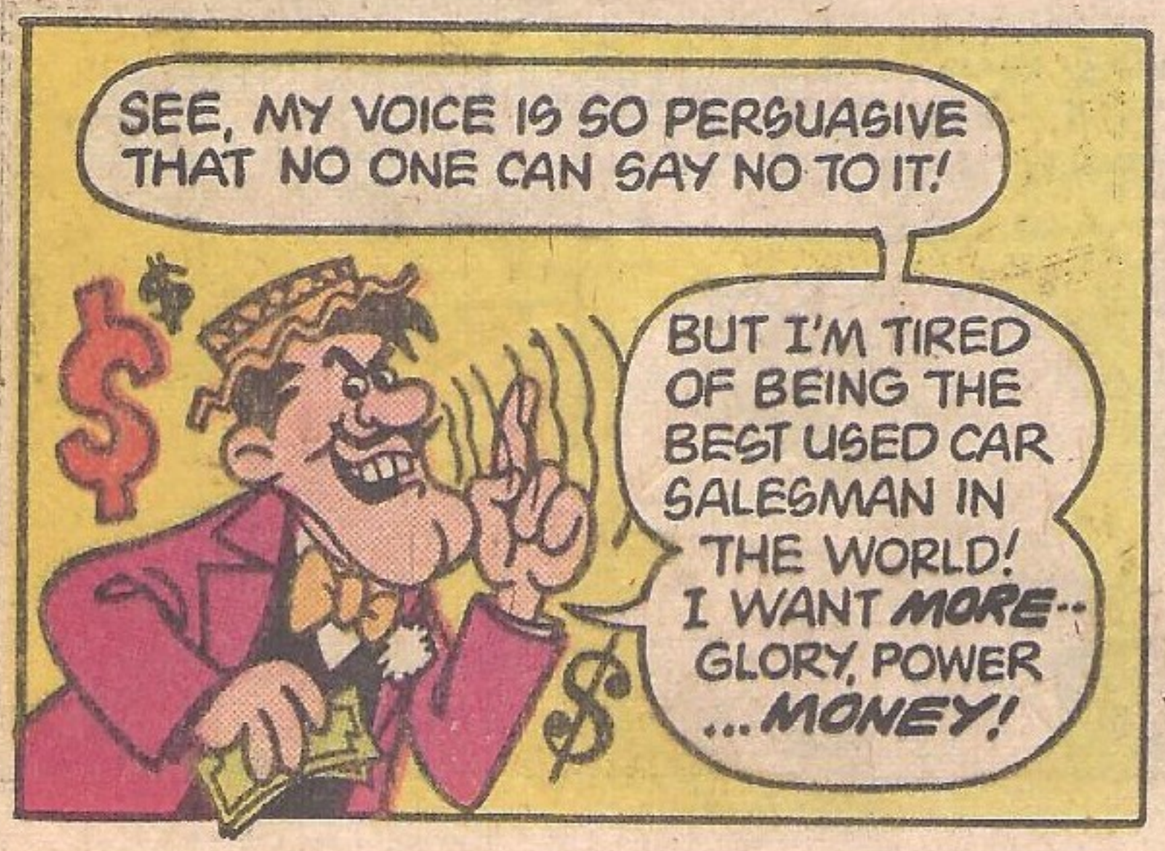
UNDERDOG

THE SENSATIONAL SAGA OF SOFT-SOAP SAMMY

HOWDY, FOLKS! SOFT-SOAP SAMMY IS MY NAME AND USED CARS, MY GAME!

SOFT-SOAP SAMMY'S USED CARS

I'M THE BEST USED CAR SALESMAN IN THE BUSINESS AND I'LL TELL YOU *WHY!*



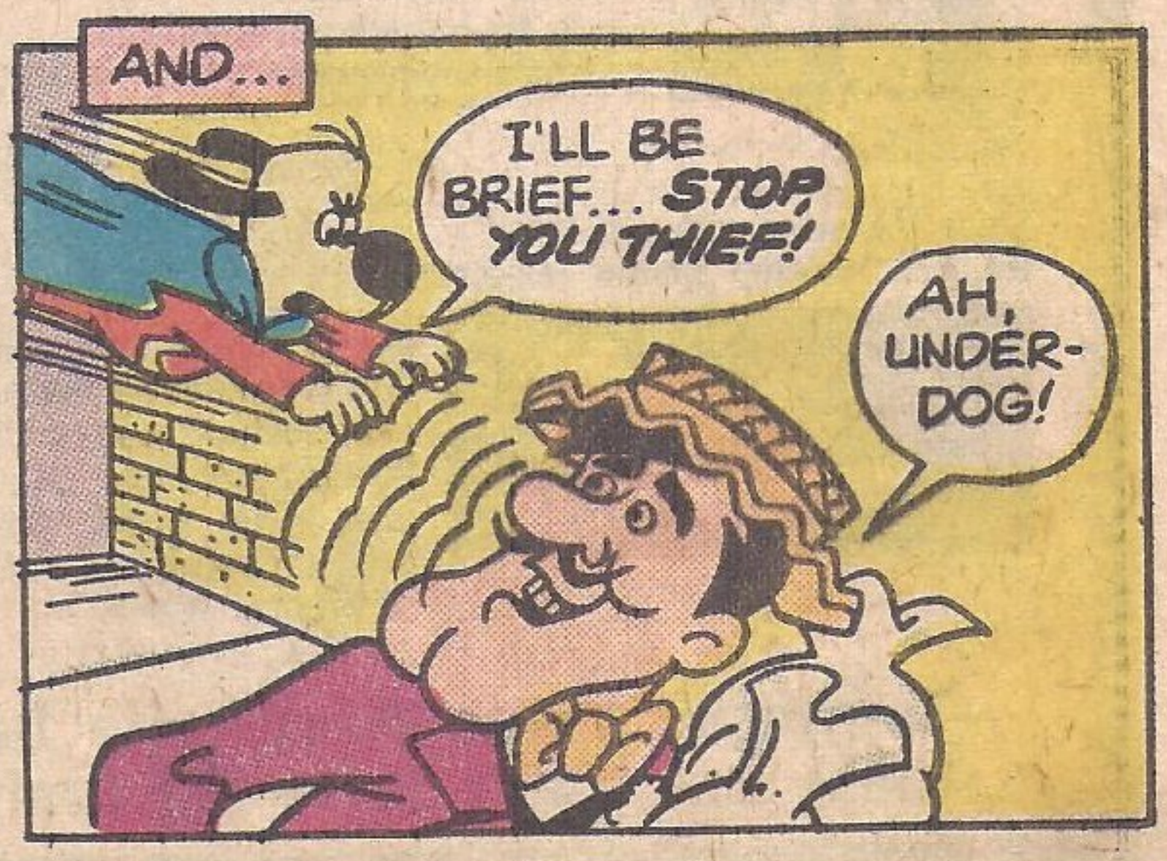
WELL, NOW BEGINS MY LIFE OF CRIME!

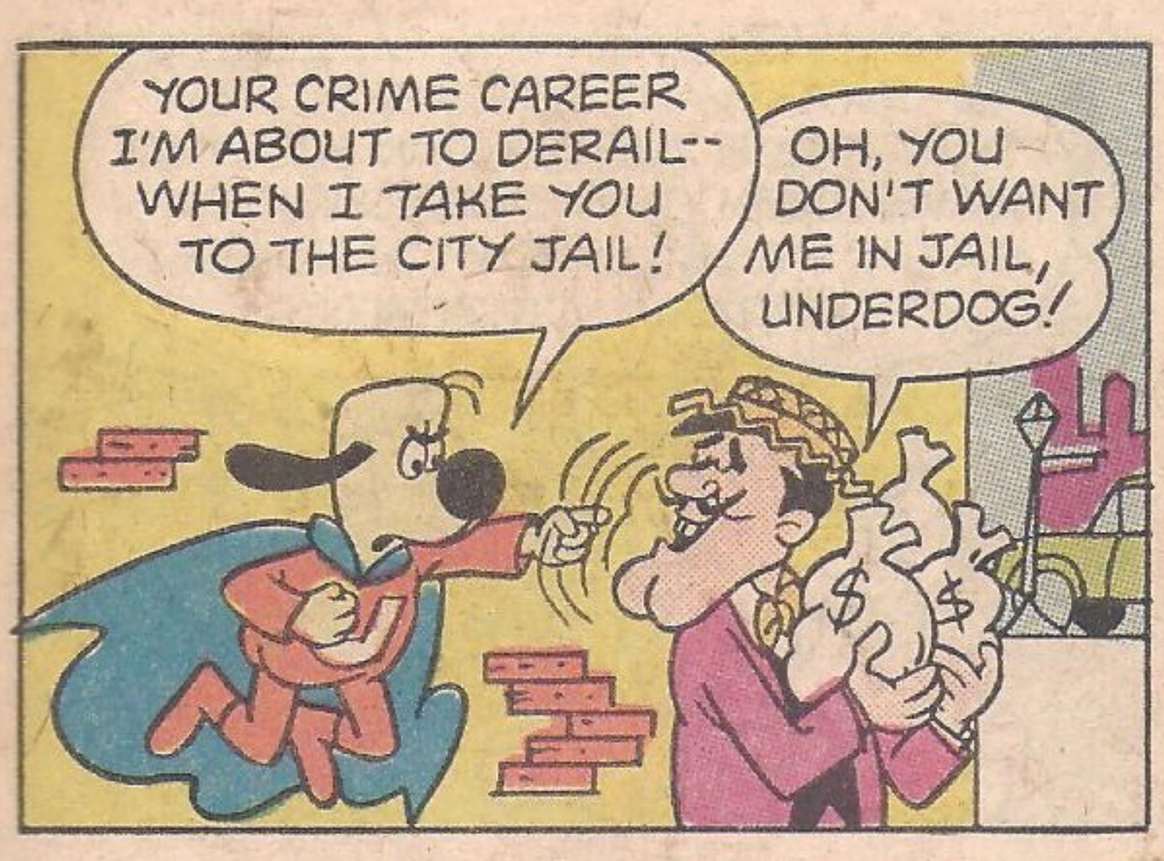
HELLO, SIR! I'D LIKE IT VERY MUCH IF YOU DID ME A LITTLE FAVOR!
EXCUSE ME, SIR!

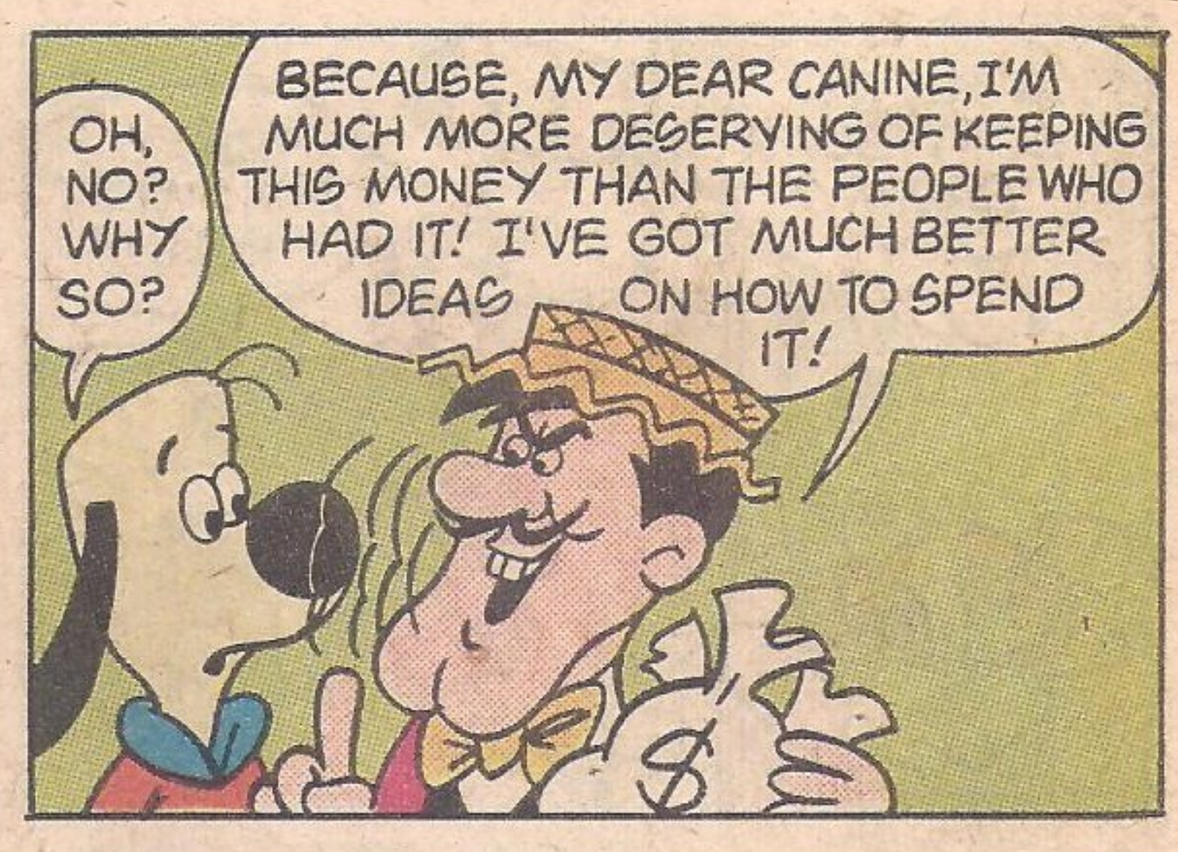
NO BIG PROBLEM, OLD FELLOW... I WANT YOU TO GIVE ME ALL YOUR MONEY!... THINK WHAT A GREAT THING IT WOULD BE FOR THE TOWN TO HAVE ANOTHER MILLIONAIRE!
YES, INDEED! I'LL ATTEND TO IT, RIGHT AWAY, SIR!

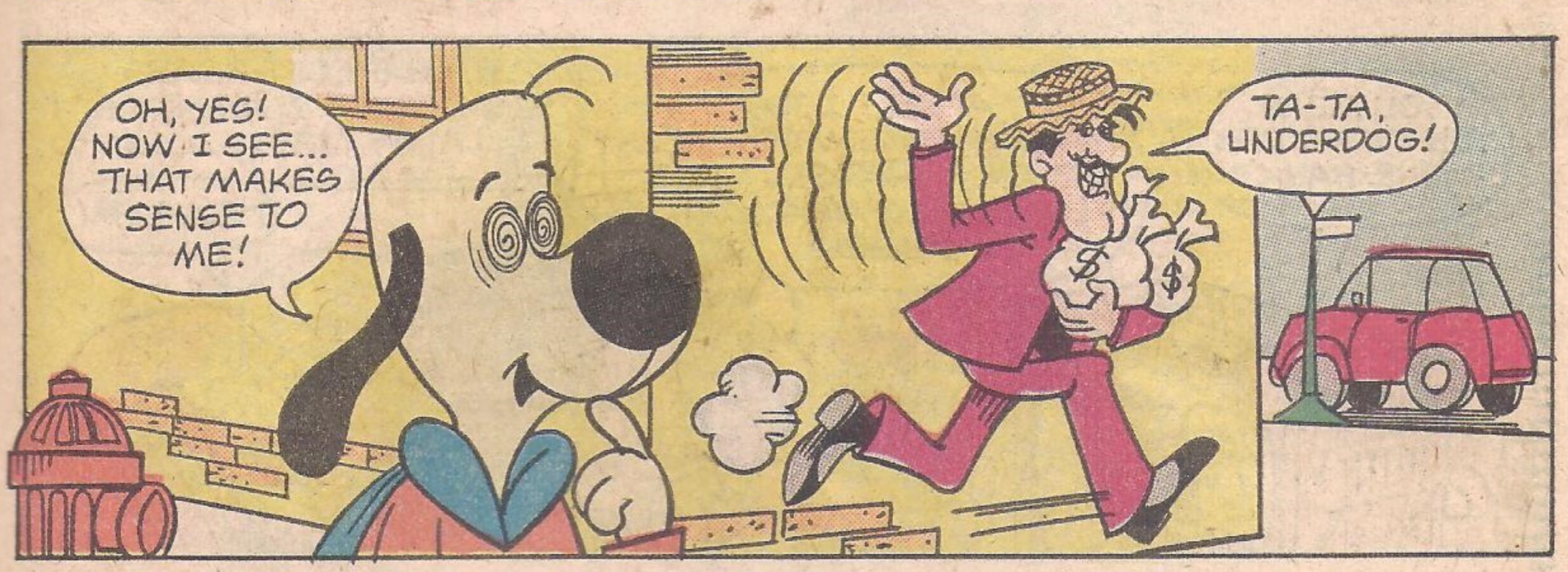
INK
WE'RE IN THE MONEY!
I'D BETTER GO IN-TO ACTION!
SHINE

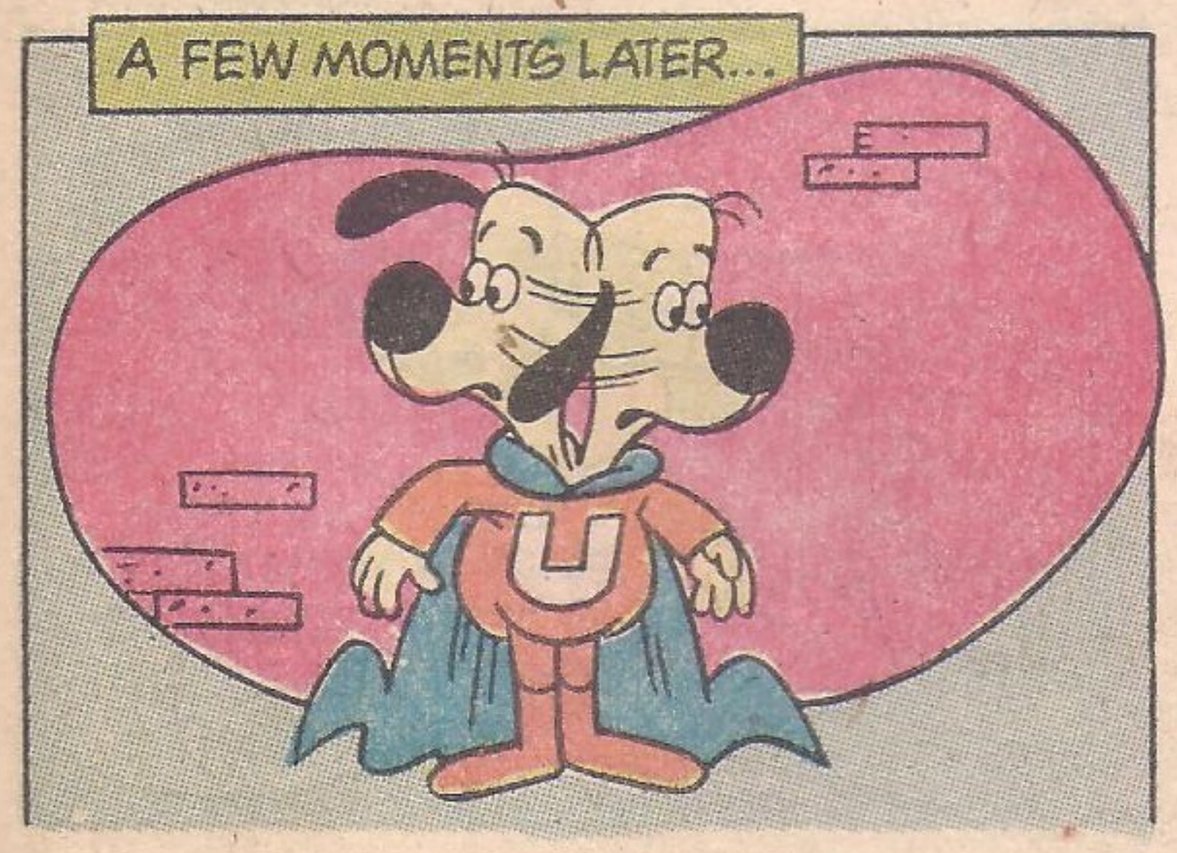
SAY, THAT FELLOW JUST ROBBED THE BANK!

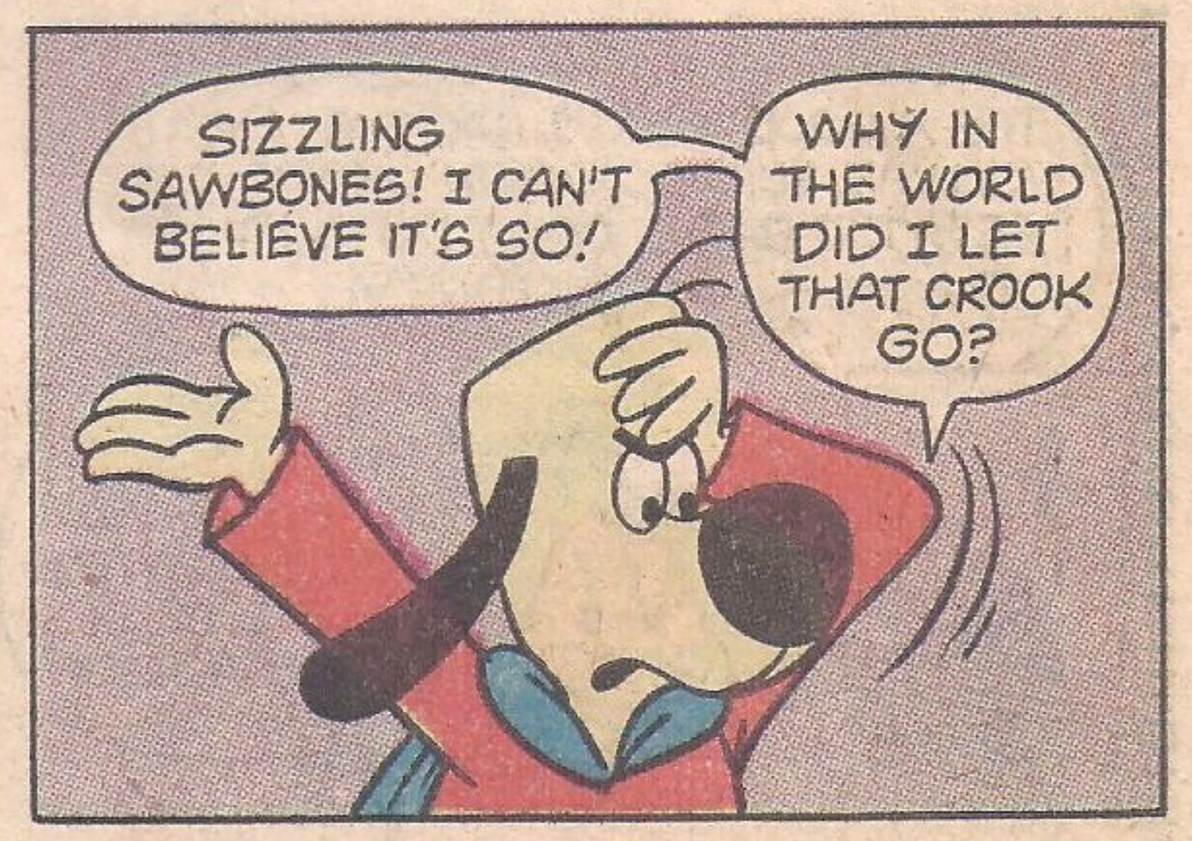

AND...
I'LL BE BRIEF... STOP, YOU THIEF!
AH, UNDER-DOG!

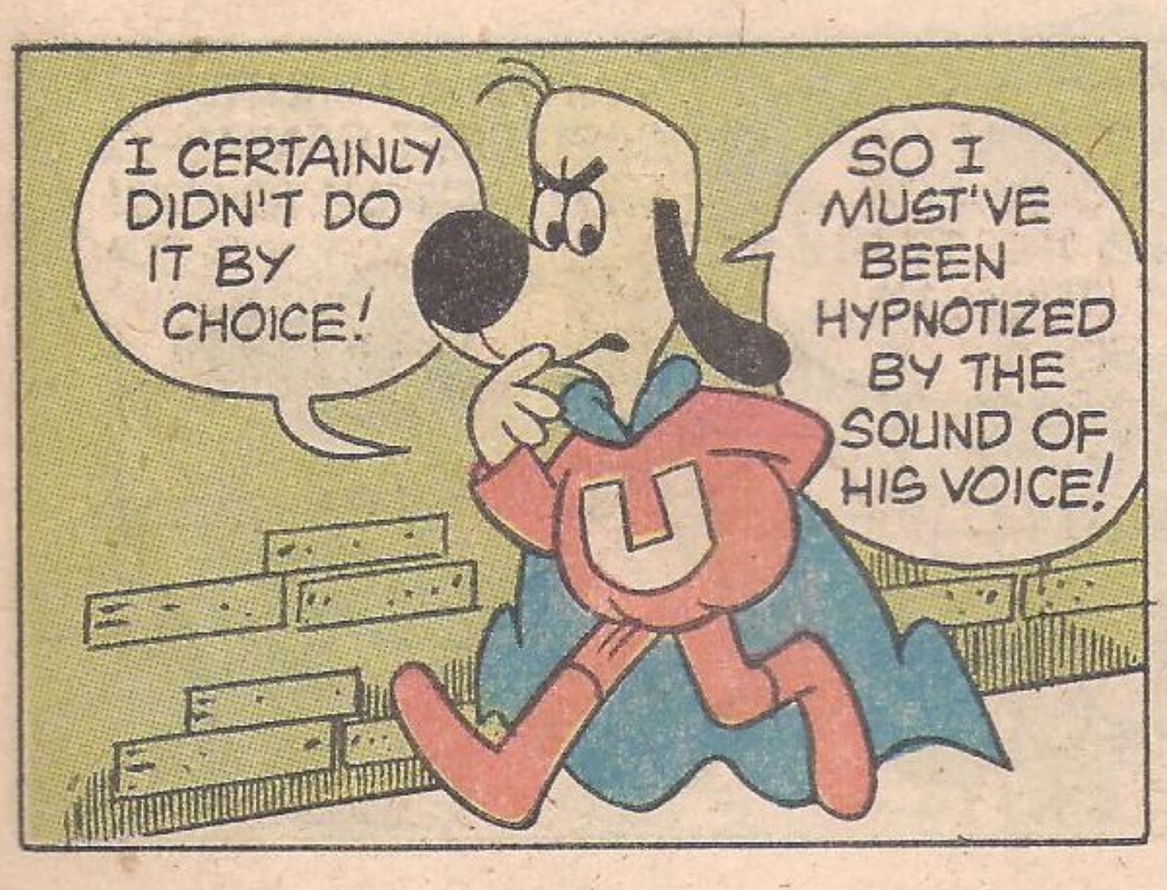

YOUR CRIME CAREER I'M ABOUT TO DERAIL-- WHEN I TAKE YOU TO THE CITY JAIL!
OH, YOU DON'T WANT ME IN JAIL, UNDERDOG!

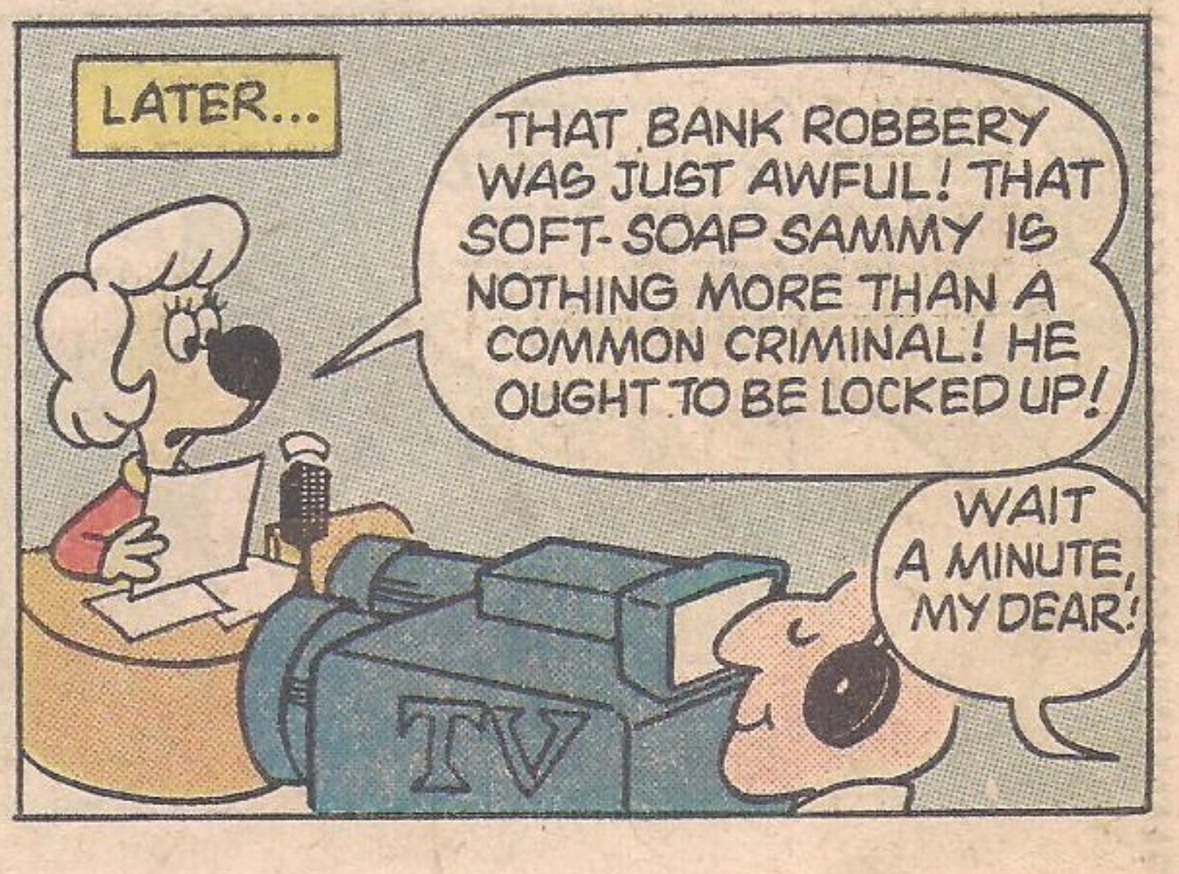

OH, NO? WHY SO?
BECAUSE, MY DEAR CANINE, I'M MUCH MORE DESERVING OF KEEPING THIS MONEY THAN THE PEOPLE WHO HAD IT! I'VE GOT MUCH BETTER IDEAS ON HOW TO SPEND IT!


OH, YES! NOW I SEE... THAT MAKES SENSE TO ME!
TA-TA, UNDERDOG!

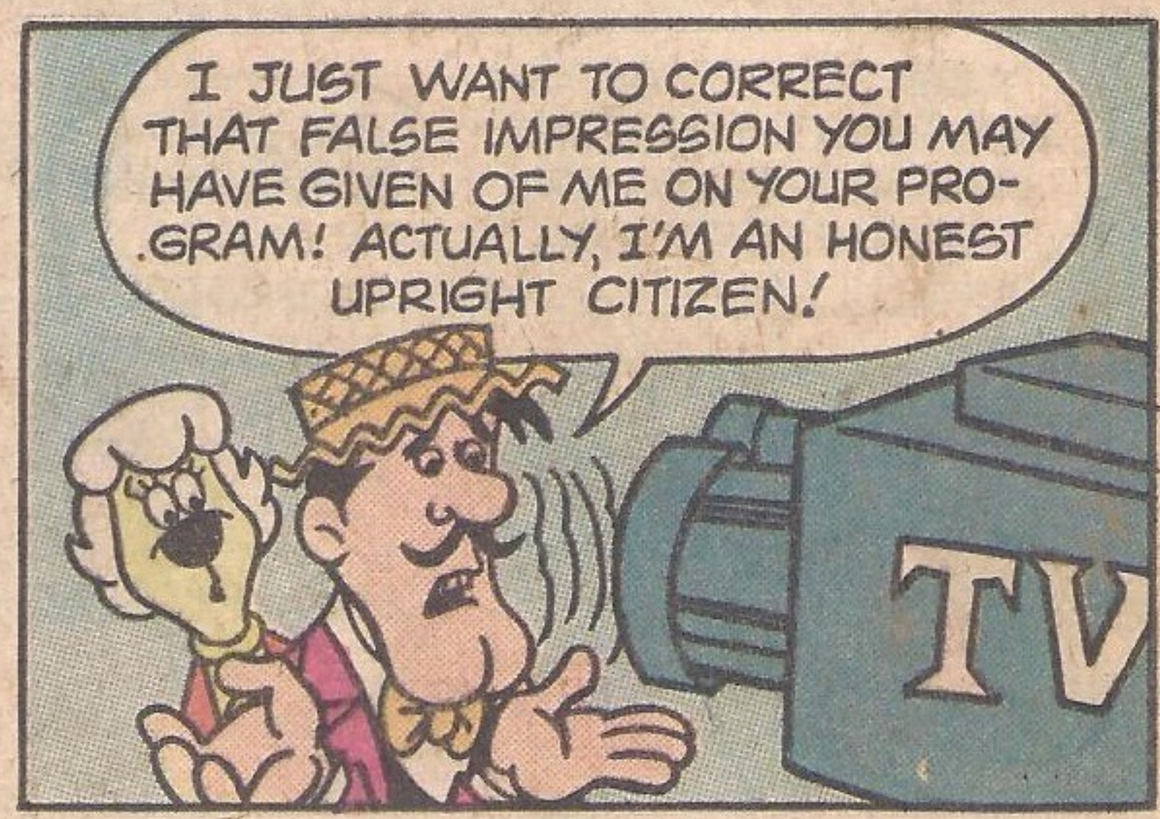

A FEW MOMENTS LATER...


SIZZLING SAWBONES! I CAN'T BELIEVE IT'S SO!
WHY IN THE WORLD DID I LET THAT CROOK GO?

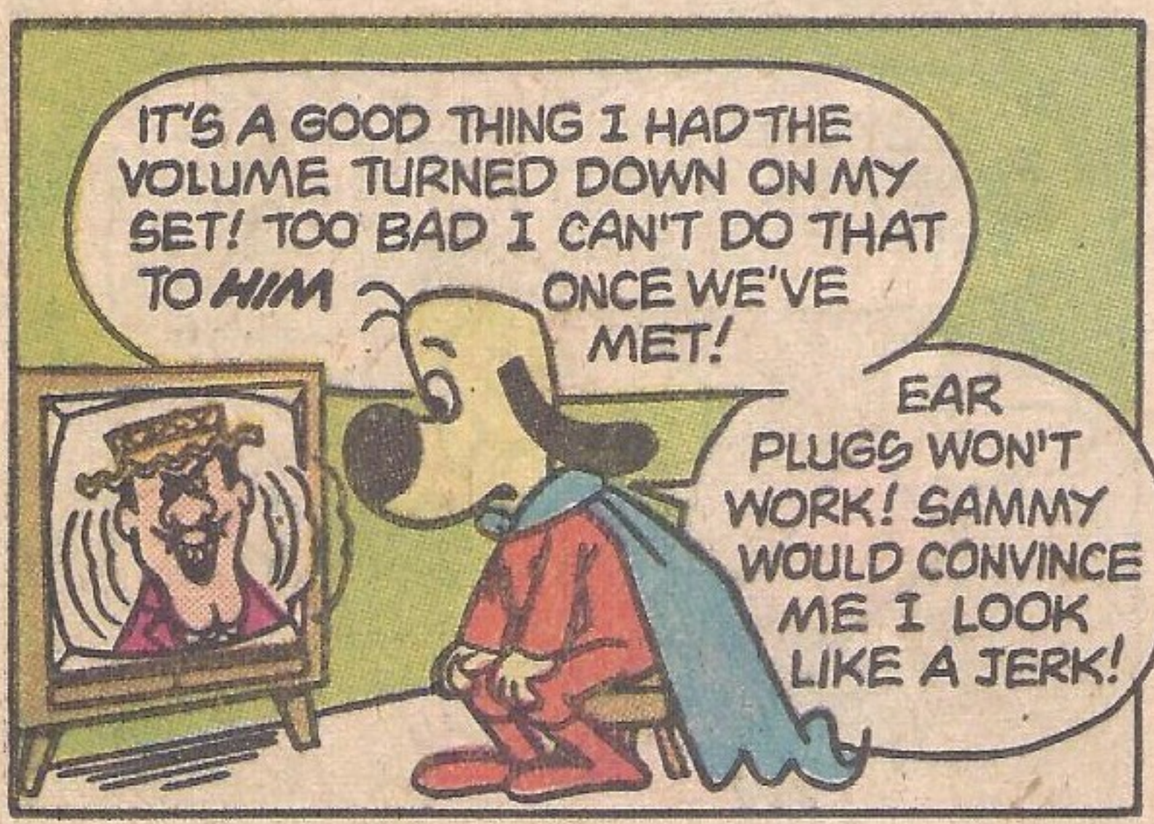

I CERTAINLY DIDN'T DO IT BY CHOICE!
SO I MUST'VE BEEN HYPNOTIZED BY THE SOUND OF HIS VOICE!


LATER...
THAT BANK ROBBERY WAS JUST AWFUL! THAT SOFT-SOAP SAMMY IS NOTHING MORE THAN A COMMON CRIMINAL! HE OUGHT TO BE LOCKED UP!
WAIT A MINUTE, MY DEAR!
TV

WHY, IT'S SOFT-SOAP SAMMY!
THAT'S ME, SWEET POLLY!


I JUST WANT TO CORRECT THAT FALSE IMPRESSION YOU MAY HAVE GIVEN OF ME ON YOUR PRO-.GRAM! ACTUALLY, I'M AN HONEST UPRIGHT CITIZEN!
TV

YOU MEAN YOU DIDN'T ROB THE BANK?
NOT AT ALL! I JUST MADE A LARGE WITHDRAWAL! THE ONLY PROBLEM WAS, I DIDN'T HAVE AN ACCOUNT THERE!
GEE, THAT SOFT-SOAP SAMMY SURE IS AN HONEST FELLA, EH, MA?
YEAH, PA!

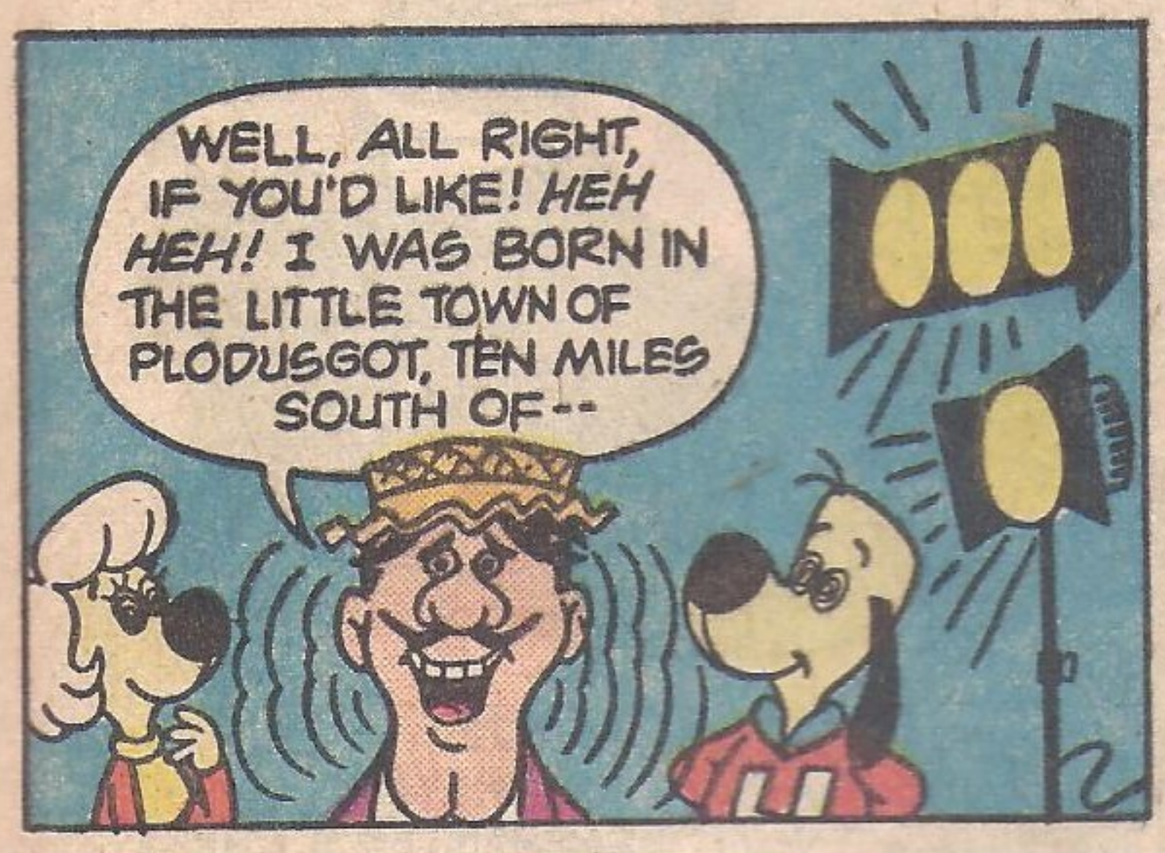

IT'S A GOOD THING I HAD THE VOLUME TURNED DOWN ON MY SET! TOO BAD I CAN'T DO THAT TO HIM ONCE WE'VE MET!
EAR PLUGS WON'T WORK! SAMMY WOULD CONVINCE ME I LOOK LIKE A JERK!

ON THE OTHER HAND, EVEN IF I FELT THE SLIGHT...
...AS LONG AS HE KEEPS TALKING TO ME, I CAN'T FIGHT!

NOW I CAN SEE THAT YOU'RE A WONDERFUL, HONEST, FIRST-RATE HUMAN BEING, SOFT-SOAP SAMMY!
THANK YOU, SWEET POLLY, FOR SPEAKING THE TRUTH! WELL, I THINK I'LL GO--
WAIT A MINUTE, SOFT-SOFT SAMMY--I WANT TO TALK TO YOU!
TV

WELL, MY GOOD FELLOW, I HOPE YOU HAVE NO FOOLISH PLANS LIKE TRYING TO ARREST ME--
THAT I CERTAINLY DON'T PLAN TO DO--BUT THERE ARE SOME QUESTIONS I'D LIKE TO ASK YOU--

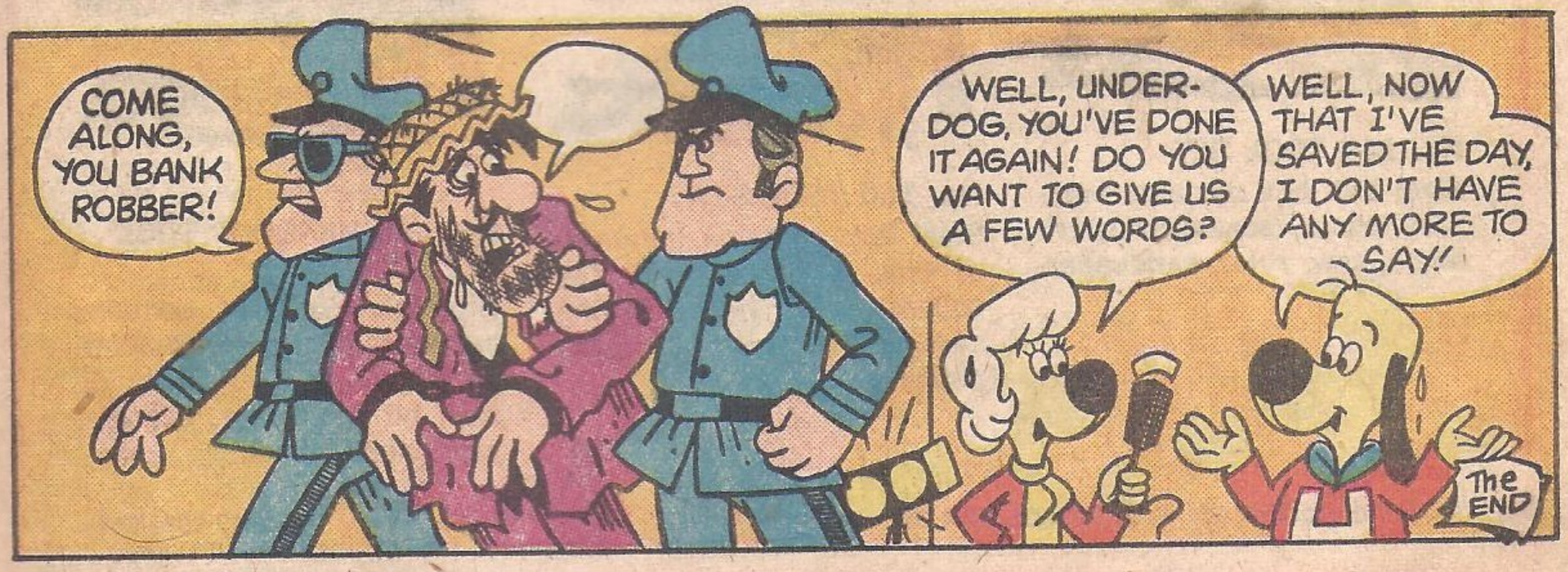
QUESTIONS-- WHAT ARE YOU TRYING TO DO, INVESTIGATE ME OR SOMETHING?
HEAVEN FORBID I'D PUT YOU THROUGH STRIFE! BUT SINCE YOU'RE SUCH AN INTERESTING PERSON, I'D LIKE TO HEAR THE STORY OF YOUR LIFE!


WELL, ALL RIGHT, IF YOU'D LIKE! HEH HEH! I WAS BORN IN THE LITTLE TOWN OF PLODUSGOT, TEN MILES SOUTH OF--

43 HOURS LATER...
AND :GASP: THERE YOU HAVE MY LIFE TO THE PRESENT DAY :KOFF: ...NOW IF YOU DON'T MIND--
COULDN'T YOU TALK A LITTLE MORE, THOUGH? ON YOUR TASTE IN FOOD, CLOTHES, YOUR PHILOSOPHY ...PLEASE DON'T SAY NO!
WELL :GASP: ...ALL RIGHT!

39 HOURS LATER...
:GASP: ... :KOFF: ...AND I THINK I-- I AM...UH--
SPEAK UP, SIR! YOUR VOICE IS A BLUR!

WHY-- HE'S TALKED HIMSELF OUT! HE CAN'T SAY A WORD!
:GASP:... :GLUG:...
YES! AT LAST IT'S TRUE! I'VE GOT YOU JUST WHERE I WANT YOU!
CLANK!


COME ALONG, YOU BANK ROBBER!
WELL, UNDERDOG, YOU'VE DONE IT AGAIN! DO YOU WANT TO GIVE US A FEW WORDS?
WELL, NOW THAT I'VE SAVED THE DAY, I DON'T HAVE ANY MORE TO SAY!
The END